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FIVE CENTS THE COPY

Baker, Famous Banker, Dies

Norman Baker (HIMSELF)

Did you find out who the only president was that kept his cabinet intact the full four years of his term? It was Franklin Pierce. He served from 1853 to 1857, and was a democrat—born November 23, 1804, and if you wish to read one of the most correct astronomical horoscopes of the Zodiac read his for November—then you will understand how he did it.

WOMEN—Who was the first woman nominated for president? Think it over, all you women folks should know. Watch this column tomorrow for her name and the party she represented. It was not the democratic, socialist or republican parties.

WALKING—doing so for the second time in 70 years—he is Charles Curtis of Pomeroy, Ohio—when 36, he had an accident—for 10 years could only move his head—he didn't give up, couldn't work, he became a news correspondent and phoned his news daily—few years ago found he could roll over and crawl a little—his courage rose—crawled more and more each day—determined HE WOULD WALK—and he now walks.

KICKS GOLD—Jimmy Lacombe, near Perth, Australia, while walking along the field, stubbed his toe, he sat down to hold his toe, and while sitting there looking out into space his eyes fell on something shiny—he picked up the object and it proved the largest GOLD NUGGET ever found in Australia—it weighed 1.122 ounces and worth \$28,000. WHAT would you do if tonight you stumbled upon one in your back yard? Spend a few hours tonight thinking of the fun you could have with \$28,000? Would you use any of it fighting the public's battles or hoard it in the safe—99 out of 100 would HOARD.

WONDERS—they never stop—radio proves a wonder, afforded pleasure to millions but the trouble was it was always in the home and at camp; while driving the pleasure was left at home. THINGS ARE CHANGED NOW—today you can drive your car or run your boat with music from the air entertaining you as it does in your home—the business man—the farmer can hear the market reports, the ball games and EVERYTHING with a small radio set that operates from the car battery, and the dial for tuning in is fastened on the dash board—any handy fellow can install the complete outfit in a car or boat in one hour. When you buy, buy a good one, and I would be glad to furnish one to you at a reasonable cost. I'm putting one in my speed boat and one in my car. Dynamic speaker with every convenience of home radio, very selective and easy to tune while driving—IT'S A THRILL.

FRIENDS—An Alsatian dog was run over and killed by a motor car at Southampton, England—An Airfield terrier stood guard over his dog all night and attacked anyone who attempted to come near—one man tried to coax the dog away but left with part of his pants missing—the dogs were reared together—that's FRIENDSHIP and LOVE, sometimes more strongly found in animals than in humans.

DO YOU KNOW that in the year 1832 there was an Anti-Masonic Party in the field with the other parties, but they elected NO PRESIDENT. It was founded to oppose the Masonic and other secret orders and soon died out. THAT WAS BEFORE THE WHIGS—times do change as well as thought.

LOCAL GIRL IS DECLARED BEST STATE SPELLER

Iowa Contest Won by
Dorothy Greenwald;
Defeats 175

Dorothy Greenwald, 12-year-old Muscatine grade student, won the honor of being Iowa's best grade school speller when she was declared the winner of the state spelling contest held at Des Moines Saturday morning.

By virtue of her victory, she is also given the honor of representing this state in the national spelling contest at Washington, D. C., some time in June. Expenses of her trip will be paid by the state of Iowa.

Miss Greenwald went to the Des Moines contest as the guest of the Muscatine Lions club for being the best speller in the recent Muscatine county contest. She was in competition at Des Moines with 175 grade students from all parts of the state, and stood the longest in line as the spelling lists were propounded by the judges.

Close Second Before
Miss Greenwald, who is a seventh-grade pupil at the McKinley school, competed in the state contest held at Des Moines last year, and was one of the last few to remain standing before the honors went to a Council Bluffs student.

Always a leader in spelling at her school, she began winning recognition while a pupil in the first grade. In her sixth year at the school, she was declared the city champion and this year she repeated this honor. Her studies have always been excellent, school authorities said. She is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spaulding, city superintendent of schools.

At the state contest, Miss Greenwald was offered a return trip to Muscatine by airplane. It was not believed that she would accept the offer, however, and it was thought probable that she would come home with Miss Anita Sullivan, her teacher at the McKinley school, with whom she went to Des Moines by automobile. The state contest afforded the contestants the only traveling expenses, but Mr. Spaulding said he believed the national contest would offer \$1,000 in gold to the winner.

LAYMEN FLAY BISHOP CANNON

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(INS)—Bishop Samuel R. Hay, of Dallas, Tex., Saturday was elected president of the College of Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, after Bishop James M. Cannon, Jr., had waived his right to serve. Bishop Cannon had not committed himself until Saturday as to whether or not he would press his claim for the presidency at the current session.

When Bishop Beauchamp called for "communications" Bishop John M. Moore, secretary of the college, rose and read a number of letters received from laymen protesting against the elevation of Bishop Cannon to the presidency and demanding that "Bishop Cannon should at least resign so that the church can save its face."

Vaudeville Actor Murders Wife and Wounds Attorney

NEW YORK.—(INS)—An argument over alimony payments ended abruptly and tragically Saturday when Roy Schuster, a vaudeville actor and dancing instructor, shot and killed his 26-year-old wife, Amy, in the office of the woman's lawyer, Israel Siegel, and then fired a bullet into the attorney's shoulder.

The scene of the shooting was on the fourteenth floor of an office building in the Park Row district, a stone's throw from city hall, south of Schuster escaped during the excitement that ensued and tonight the police were conducting an intensive hunt for him in the theatrical district and other places where it was thought he might be hiding.

The WEATHER man says

IOWA—Fair, slightly warmer in west portion Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness, probably showers in extreme west portion.
ILLINOIS—Generally fair and moderate Sunday.
MISSOURI—Fair Sunday; Monday increasing cloudiness; not much change in temperature.
WISCONSIN—Fair Sunday, Monday increasing cloudiness.
GENERAL FORECAST—The indications are for mostly fair and rather cool weather over the north-central states Sunday, except that there will be increasing cloudiness with slight temperature over the northern plains.

Best In State

Tube Patent Near Decision

Presenting Final Arguments in De-Forrest Case

Dorothy Greenwald, Muscatine school girl, who Saturday at Des Moines defeated 175 young people from over the state to win the Iowa grade school spelling championship. She now will go to the national contest in Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—(INS)—The supreme court will hear final arguments Monday in one of the greatest patent law suits of modern times. The decision in which will virtually dictate control of the radio industry for many years.

NATION FACES A DEFICIT OF OVER BILLION

Higher Taxes Said to Be Only Solution Of Problem

By ROBERT S. THORNBURG
INS Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON.—Figures available at the treasury Saturday apparently indicate that the government is headed straight into a deficit that will exceed \$1,000,000,000 June 30 and which may pass \$1,200,000,000.

Ordinary receipts for the ten months ending April 30 amounted to \$2,919,028,000. May receipts will not exceed the approximate \$150,000,000 collected in April. In June about \$112,000,000 in payments on the war debts and possibly \$300,000,000 from income tax collections will be received. This places total receipts for the year at not to exceed \$3,300,000,000.

Expenditures Go Up
President Hoover already has announced that expenditures for the year will be \$4,435,000,000. Expenditures will be \$441,000,000 greater than in 1930.

Receipts, according to indications, will be \$277,000,000 less. With these facts confronting the treasury there are even more startling prospects for 1932. For that year there is already a good chance that income tax receipts will fall \$400,000,000 below those for 1931.

Unless there is a decided pick-up in business there are no indications that any of the principal sources of revenue will increase. A huge deficit is predicted for 1932 unless Congress increases taxes, officials said.

Boy Guest at White House Leaves for Colorado Home

By GEORGE E. DUBNO
WASHINGTON.—(INS)—Just as midnight sent Cinderella back to her room in pumpkin and kitchen drudgery, so Saturday afternoon the Liberty Limited started Bryan Untied westward toward his Colorado home.

Housefly Two Feet High to Show How Germs Are Carried

WASHINGTON.—(INS)—As a part of an educational exhibit showing why the housefly is a menace to health and how this pest may be controlled, the department of agriculture is constructing a giant mechanical housefly, 2 feet in height.

The fly will illustrate by characteristic actions, how it carries bacteria from place to place. A motor is concealed in the body of the "insect" and the electric current for its operation is brought in by wires concealed in its legs.

'MIKE DE PIKE' GETS REVENGE AFTER DEATH

Leaves Papers Implicating Capone in Many Rackets

CHICAGO.—(INS)—"Mike De Pike" Heitler, slain free-lance vice lord and gangster, has reached out from the grave to strike at his enemies through carefully-kept documents and records seized at his home by police investigators.

Scrutinizing the records at the state's attorney's office Saturday night, Pat Roche, chief investigator, announced that Heitler's documents revealed a vast system of corruption and protection built up by Scarface Al Capone, a fugitive since Heitler's charged body was found in the ashes of an ice house near Barrington, Ill., two days ago.

Information in these papers has led to the arrest of nine of Capone's henchmen, but police raiders have been unable to locate the gang leader.

Should the authorities be successful in substantiating the evidence left by Heitler, both gangster and officialdom will be shaken by the disclosures, prosecutors indicated. Roche disclosed that the records were made available to the state's attorney's office through a pre-designed plan of Heitler's that should be slain by his enemies, the alleged evidence against Capone and his followers would be brought to light.

When shown these documents, Judge Joseph Burke of the criminal court, announced that there was ample reason to hold Lawrence Mangano, Frankie Pope and seven other Capone workers in connection with the fourth murder of Heitler.

While police investigators were pressing their hunt against Scarface, a sensational disclosure was made during a recent trial.

Frankie Pope, alleged gangster in a racket of Capone, spent Wednesday night with the free-lance vice boss in a friendly card game and dinner with Mangano and Pope acting as hosts, it was revealed by chief investigator Pat Roche of the state's attorney's office.

Heitler, Pope, Mangano and two other members of the Capone clan took steps to appeal the case to the supreme court of Iowa. This is the same procedure followed by other Iowa counties where similar petitions have been denied.

A Sioux City law firm, which is representing Mitchell county farmers, is also placing the Cedar county case before the Iowa supreme court. The petition, sent to Sioux City from here, bears the signatures of approximately 1,200 Cedar county farmers.

Eight other counties, including Grundy, Washington and Des Moines, have filed petitions asking for an injunction against enforcing the tuberculosis cattle tests. It is expected, however, that when the hearing is held before the Iowa supreme court, every county in Iowa will be represented in some manner.

The first Cedar county petition, filed in 1929 under the name of William Butterbrod and others, was dismissed on motion of the plaintiff's attorney, J. C. France. Thursday and the new one sought by Arthur M. Pogg and others, immediately filed in the district court here.

Weather Will Stay Clear, Predictions

The weather here today will be fair, probably continued cool. If state predictions are correct, skies were partly overcast Saturday with the prediction that there was danger of a light frost. A trace of rain was noted Friday night.

The observation at 7 a. m. Saturday morning was 52 degrees, showing a rise of 4 above that of Friday morning. Stage of the river Saturday was 3.3 feet, a drop of 1 of a foot in 24 hours.

Youth 'Pawed Her,' She Murders Him, Acquittal Follows

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—(INS)—Pretty Julia Tapia, young Mexican art student, was back at her studies following her rapid trial for murder of a would-be petter. Miss Tapia was acquitted after a record-setting trial that required only three hours on her story that she shot Manuel Quintana, 26, when he persisted in "pawing her" as he clung to the running board of an auto she was driving home from a picnic.

Nevada's 'Six-Week Law' Results in Filing of 189 Divorce Cases First Day

Outlay of \$189,000 Is Represented; Many Are Men

RENO, Nev.—(INS)—All was in readiness today for Nevada's greatest divorce parade beginning Monday.

Smashing all records for divorce applications, the state inaugurated its new six weeks residence law Saturday with a total of 189 filed between dawn and dusk.

One Every Two Minutes
Filed at the rate of one every two minutes during the early portion of the day the flood of divorce suits brought a golden flow to the state, more than \$4,400 in fees being collected before noon, and the grand total ran well over \$5,000. Each complaint carries a fee of \$20 and where an answer is filed at the same time, an additional \$10 is collected.

It is considered conservative estimate that each divorce leaves \$1,000 in Reno. On this basis the flood of divorce applications Saturday represented an investment of \$189,000 on the part of those seeking matrimonial liberty.

Many persons socially prominent were included among those filing today.

Many Men Filing
One of the surprising features was the large number of men filing divorce suits. Women predominated heavily but the scores of men represented in the lists bore out the predictions of attorneys when the new law was passed that it would enable men to secure divorces as well as women.

Heretofore, few men felt they could leave business for three months to secure a divorce. Now they take six weeks' vacation and return home "free."

Expect 100 Decrees Monday
Many of the cases filed were set for trial Monday at ten minute intervals before Reno's two superior court judges. Some were not in final form and will be set for trial later.

The divorce mill is expected to grind out close to 100 decrees Monday.

CHURCH OFFICER SHORT \$100,000

CHICAGO.—(INS)—Officers of the Danish Lutheran synod Saturday announced the resignation of Wilbur N. Hostrop, 60, as treasurer of the Danish Evangelical Lutheran church in America. Announcement of Hostrop's resignation was accompanied by a statement that a \$100,000 shortage had been discovered in Hostrop's church funds.

Hostrop, formerly a wealthy banker of Cedar Rapids, Ia., had paid into the institution the remainder of his fortune, practically everything he has, the synod officers announced.

According to the president and trustees, Hostrop insisted that all his assets be used to make the sum good. He turned over nearly \$50,000 worth of stocks and bonds and placed vast real estate holdings at the synod's disposal.

Hostrop was a banker at Cedar Falls, Ia., for years and retired a year ago and came to Chicago to live with a son.

WEALTH PUT AT HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS

91-Year-Old Financier
Ill Only Two Days

NEW YORK.—(INS)—George F. Baker, noted banker and one of the richest men in America, died here Saturday night at the age of 91.

Baker, whose fortune was estimated to run into hundreds of millions, was stricken with pneumonia Thursday night. His illness took a critical turn Saturday. Three doctors were in constant attendance.

At Mr. Baker's bedside at the end were only members of the immediate family, children and grandchildren. The passing of the great financier was said to have been peaceful.

In addition to his long connection with the First National Bank here, Mr. Baker was also associated with the New York Central railroad, the Pullman company, the American Telephone and Telegraph company, the Mutual Life Insurance company, and many other important American banking, railroad, and commercial concerns.

Financial Giant
Mr. Baker was a member of the Union League club. His New York mansion was located on Madison avenue.

Mr. Baker belonged to that famous group of financial giants and included the elder J. Pierpont Morgan, James J. Hill, James Stillman, and E. H. Harriman, all of whom are now dead.

Baker was born May 10, N. Y. March 27, 1840. He was the son of George E. Baker, Washington correspondent for Horace Greeley's New York Tribune. The elder Baker had moved to Troy from Dedham, Mass., where his British ancestors had settled in 1639.

His father owned the right the family moved to Dedham, Mass., where he was born.

Why do you say that? The fact is, I live on the interest of my money," the uncle replied.

Young George mused on this for some time and later told his uncle that he, too, was some day going to "live on the interest from his money."

Saved Fifth of Salary
He was educated at Seward university in Florida, N. Y. At the end of his college career he became a clerk in the state banking department at \$500 a year and out of his salary saved \$100 a year. His recreation was in giving lectures and doing social work.

His next job was secretary to Governor Edwin D. Morgan of New York. Later he returned to the state banking department and rose rapidly.

In 1861 Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury, conceived the plan of selling bonds through banks and in forming banks which could pledge bonds for the circulation of currency up to 90 per cent of their value. That was the beginning of the National Banking system.

Baker became interested in this plan and talked it over with a Mr. Thompson, a financial leader who conducted a brokerage house with his son. Thompson decided to form a National bank himself and organized one with \$200,000 capital. Baker was made teller. Originally Thompson offered him all the stock he wanted and offered to carry it for him young Baker only took the stock he could pay cash for. Someone had told him never to borrow money.

From this point the story of Baker is identical with the story of the First National Bank. He rose gradually until in 1877 he became president of the bank.

Last winter when he went south he played golf. He returned from the south recently and his illness came as a surprise to the country. He had been in reasonably good health considering his advanced age.

With HOOVER Daily

Trade Depression
Not Tariff, Causes
Drop in Imports

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—(INS)—Business depression and not the tariff is responsible for the recent drop in imports, senator Reed Smoot declared today in a prepared statement in answer to charges made by Julius H. Barnes before the board of directors of the United States Chamber of Commerce in Atlantic City last night.

"I do not know of anything worse for American business today than a demand for another revision of tariff by congress," senator Smoot, who is chairman of the senate finance committee which framed the present tariff law, declared.

"It would be desirable to know," Smoot said, "whether Mr. Barnes believes that the world would be benefited by pulling down the standards of living in the United States by giving employment to people abroad instead of to American workmen and American farmers."

APRIL 30
10 a. m.—Representative Rogers (Rep., Ind.) leaves for his home to discuss veterans' affairs.
10:30 a. m.—Senator Dampney, of Louisiana, N. Y., leaves for Washington, D. C., called to pay his respects.
11:15 a. m.—Dr. George Otis Smith, chairman of the federal power commission called to present the quarterly administrative report of the commission to the president.
11:30 a. m.—Miss Gandy, of Washington, D. C., called to present Harry M. Atkinson, of Reno, Nev., United States attorney for Nevada.
12 noon—Representative Reed (Rep., N. Y.) leaves for the world's Olympic games, to invite the president to open the 1932 Olympic games at Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 4 to 15.
1:15 p. m.—A committee of the Advertising Federation of America, headed by its president, Gilbert T. Hedges, New York, called to invite the president to open the 75th annual convention of the Federation, New York City, June 24 to 28, inclusive.
1:30 p. m.—Labor leaders, including the executive council of the Building Trades department of the American Federation of Labor, called to endorse the president's stand against wage reduction in industry.
2 p. m.—Dedham, Mass., winner of the Chicago Tribune race walking, was presented to the president.
2:15 p. m.—Mrs. Clara Kinsbrook and others of Fresno, Ia., were presented to the president.
3 p. m.—The president and Mrs. Hoover called on the king and queen of Spain at 3115 Massachusetts avenue, Northwest.

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KALOUDIS HAD CHANGED GANGS BEFORE DEATH

Members of Old Gang Took Former Pal For a "Ride"

That Angelo Kaloudis, Davenport restaurant owner and bootlegger, whose body was found in his own car near Durant Friday night, was killed because he had changed his old gang to join another, was the belief expressed Saturday night by Davenport authorities following an investigation.

That Kaloudis had joined forces with a new gang shortly before his death was learned by Davenport police, and also by the Iowa State Detective Bureau of that city. Opinions were at variance on whether the killing was done by a "red hot" from this vicinity or a gangster brought here for the purpose, from Chicago. P. D. Van Wagoner, agent of the state bureau of investigation, who was here on the case Saturday, holds the latter view.

Whether the murderer was he, however, his tracks so well that no trace has yet been found of him, so far as is known. Results, if any, of finger prints taken from the car have not been made known.

Shot Five Times
At the inquest Saturday the fact that Kaloudis had been shot five times was brought out. Two shots were in the chest, two in the upper chest, and the fifth in the top of the head. The head shot pierced the dead man's hat, on which it left a large powder burn.

Apparently this last shot was the final one which gangsters commonly fire at very close range to assure the death of their victim.

The shots in the chest were apparently fired first, according to the opinion of the state doctors who conducted the autopsy. They deduced this from the fact that a pint of liquid blood was found in the right lung. Any of the five shots might have caused death, the doctors said at the inquest held Saturday.

Body Propped Up
Sheriff Nepper, a witness at the inquest, testified that the body, when he first saw it in the car, was partly propped up in the car by means of a horse blanket. This would indicate the killing had taken place some distance from the place the car was found and had toppled over during the trip over the gravel road.

Whatever significance may have been attached to the finding of three partly burned candles in the car with the body was destroyed when Nepper said the dead man's widow had told him she knew they were in the car, and that they were to be used in celebration of the Easter ceremonies of the Greek Orthodox church, to which Kaloudis belonged.

Nepper is not sure what caliber the bullets were, although they were believed to be .38's. They were metal cased, he said. Kaloudis was about 40 years of age, of medium build, and was dressed in a suit.

Two of the bullets were wrapped in cotton and sent to forensic ballistics experts in Des Moines. There a superficial examination will show the caliber and make of weapon from which they were fired.

By use of the comparison, a microscope device, the bullets can be accurately compared with bullets fired from the gun of any suspects who may be arrested, and marks on the bullets can be the telling of the barrel will show whether the fatal and test bullets came from the same gun.

Killed in Car
No discharged cartridges were found in the car, which would indicate that if an automatic was used the murderers removed them from the car. Blood spattered on the rear window and some light of the car convinced officers that Kaloudis was killed while in the rear compartment.

J. J. McDermott, finger print expert, and Harry Ward, chief of police of Davenport, came here Saturday and McDermott dusted windows and other parts of the death car with aluminum powder and photographed the finger prints thus brought to view.

A verdict of death by gunshot wounds was brought by the coroner's jury following the inquest. Members of the jury were C. H. Schultz, L. T. Gray, and William Hillmer.

Funeral services will be held from the Greek Orthodox church in Monday afternoon. Burial will be made in Oakdale cemetery. The body was taken from the Fairbanks home for funerals to the home in Davenport Saturday.

Murders Children, Cuts Wife's Throat, Commits Suicide

EFFINGHAM, Ill. (INS)—After killing his two children, Clarence Cramer, 35-year-old farmer, slashed his wife's throat and then committed suicide in his farm home near here Saturday.

Although her throat was badly cut, Mrs. Cramer is expected to live. She told officers her husband was "insanely jealous" and had been acting queerly for several days. After she was attacked she ran to the home of a neighbor who called county officers. When they arrived at the Cramer home they found the children dead in their beds, their throats cut, and Cramer dying on the floor of the kitchen.

German Guillotined For Slaying Tramp

REGENSBURG, Ger.—(INS)—Kurt Tetzner found guilty of murdering a tramp in an unsuccessful plot to collect insurance on his own life, went to his death on the guillotine here Saturday.

Tetzner was convicted of murdering the tramp on an isolated road, then placing the body in his car and setting it to it. He hoped the body would be identified as his own, and had arranged with his wife to collect the insurance money. She is serving a prison term for complicity in the slaying.

Lion's Victim



(State Photo)

Six year old Marian Hermann, slain and mauled by a trained lioness, which leaped upon her in a Cincinnati school on Thursday, is recovering in a hospital from severe scalp wounds inflicted by the beast.

LOCAL GIRL IS STILL MISSING

Marian Hermann, 19, Not Yet Located By Searchers

Present whereabouts of Marian Hermann, 19, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hermann of 709 Leroy street, were still unknown to authorities and the foster parents early today.

Miss Hermann was last seen by friends here about 7:30 p. m. Thursday, when she left a church school gathering at the First Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Hermann had taken her to the church earlier in the evening.

She was dressed in a green dress and a black plush jacket. Mr. Hermann has followed up several clues and has made trips to nearby cities, but without results. "I think she went to some definite destination," Hermann said Saturday night, "and if I can learn what town she went to I think I can find her. I have traced several clues, but have not found out anything definite."

This is the second time Miss Hermann, a high school student, has disappeared from home. On the other occasion, in January, 1929, she was found in Des Moines after being gone two days. She said at the time she had been in Des Moines for a short time.

Police authorities in towns where it is believed the girl may have gone have been notified of her disappearance and furnished with her description.

Lighthouse Boat Is Here on Trip Down Mississippi River

The Wakerobin, boat of the U. S. light house service, department of commerce, is tied up at the municipal dock on a two-day stay. It will resume its down river trip Monday morning.

The Wakerobin is going from Minneapolis to the mouth of the Illinois river, where it will turn north and retrace its course, placing buoys and markers as it goes. It has been found more practical to place buoys and markers on upstream trips only, as the boat must turn upstream when it stops. A barge containing buoys, markers and coal is being towed by the Wakerobin.

This part of the Mississippi is in the 13th lighthouse district, which includes the Mississippi from Minneapolis to Grafton, Ill., and the river from the mouth to La Salle, Ill.

Captain William E. Nolden commands the boat.

Members of Local V. F. W. See Opening Of Davenport Post

About 35 members of the John Harold Zemble post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Ladies Auxiliary were present at the opening of the new Davenport V. F. W. rooms Friday evening.

Principal speakers at the ceremonies were Col. King, Rock Island Arsenal; Mayor Tank of Davenport; and Commander Warren Dodge of the Malesine post.

Dancing and acts from the R. K. O. theater in Davenport were seen on the program of amusements and refreshments were served to the gathering by the Davenport post.

Representatives from other posts in eastern Iowa and western Illinois were present.

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IMPROVEMENTS COST RAILROAD \$4,342.21 HERE

Rock Island Desires Bond Issue of \$32,228,000

Over \$4,000 was spent on improvements in Muscatine by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway company last year. It has been learned at Washington, D. C., where the railroad seeks authority to issue new bonds.

Expenditures made in Muscatine in 1930 included \$1,630.35 for placing wire line from Muscatine to Eldon, Mo.; \$1,623.77 for constructing a crossing in Muscatine; and \$890.00 for installing a crossing signal near the Culver tower. These expenditures total \$4,342.21.

These figures were given by representatives of the railroad who are in Washington seeking to have interstate commerce commission accept capital expenditures made, but not heretofore capitalized as basis for capitalization in the issue of \$32,228,000 thirty-year 4 1/2 per cent bonds for further changes, constructions, etc.

Marcus L. Bell, vice president of the Rock Island, also asks that the road be permitted to issue common capital stock in an amount not to exceed \$25,782,400 in conversion of these bonds.

Future Farmer to Give Talk Before Wapsie Farm Meet

Russell Bill, who talked on methods of controlling farm surpluses before the Bloomington township Farm Bureau Friday night, will speak on the same subject when the Wapsieon township group meets Tuesday night at South Prairie school. Pupils of the Pleasant View school will appear on the program.

The Sweetland township group will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening at the church in New Era. A local program will be given.

Lindley E. Hoopes gave a talk at the Bloomington township meeting on the work of the Future Farmers. A social period concluded the meeting.

Suits Over Death Of McIntyre Boy Dropped Saturday

Two damage actions in which a total of \$6,500 was asked from the firm of Paxton and Gaudier by Alvin McIntyre, father of Robert Merle McIntyre, 5-year-old youth who died from injuries received when struck by an automobile on Nov. 3, 1930, were dismissed by the district court Saturday.

In one of the suits filed by McIntyre as administrator of his son's estate, he asked damages of \$3,000. The cause of the suit was caused by \$1,500 as an individual. The child was run down while crossing the street near his home, 1300 Leasing avenue.

Randolph Dietrick Bruises Legs as He Falls Off Scaffold

Falling from a painters' scaffold at the home of George L. Jephrik, 304 East Fifth street, Randolph Dietrick, 25, 1216 New Hampshire street, injured both legs Saturday while engaged in painting the roof of the house.

A doctor was summoned and dressed a slight wound, although his legs were badly bruised. He was taken home by the doctor.

His condition was reported late Saturday night as improving.

Notices Sent Out To 400 Delinquent Automobile Owners

Final notices to 400 automobile owners who have not yet obtained their 1931 licenses, were mailed out Saturday from the office of County Treasurer R. A. Van Dyke. Warning is given that the list of those who have failed to report by May 15, will be turned over to Sheriff P. B. Nepper for action. The penalty for those who have not yet paid their licenses is now \$5.

South Enders Seek Games for Season

The South End A. C. baseball club has been reorganized for the season and is seeking games with other teams in this vicinity. Other amateur or independent clubs in this section desiring games are requested to write Ted Maher at 1005 Sycamore street or phone 1075.

Funeral of Former Resident at Home

Funeral services for Frank Reinhart, 61, formerly of Muscatine, who died at his home in Greenville, Miss., Thursday, will be held at Greenville today. Burial will be made there.

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Besides three sisters living in the state of Washington, he is survived by Mrs. Link Osterander, a sister, and John Reinhart, a brother, both of Muscatine.

Every Grain of SEED CORN

Common Field or Sweet, should be treated with Semesan Junior. The increase in quantity and quality is wonderful. The cost is nominal, less than 4 cents per acre. It will pay you to try it, even a little bit.

Thompson's Hardware Store

Modern Cruise Is Found in Woods in N. Y. City Limits

NEW YORK (INS)—His hair was two feet long, his beard eight inches and his clothes in shreds when a policeman arrested Albert Brunning, 26 years old, in the Creedmore woods, a thickly wooded section within the city limits.

"I'm a modern Robinson Crusoe marooned by unemployment," Brunning said. "I lost my job as a grocery clerk and couldn't find another."

He had been living in the woods, with civilization seething around him, for a year and a half.

HEAVY LOSS IN FIRE AT FARM

Barn, Outbuildings at Reigel Place Lost Early Saturday

Damage estimated at several thousand dollars was caused by a fire that completely destroyed a barn and several other buildings in which livestock and poultry were kept at the Harry Reigel farm on Route 6 near the four-mile bridge over Muscatine slough in Fruitland township at 4 o'clock Saturday morning.

The blaze which was of unknown origin, started in the barn in which hay, grain and seed corn was stored and soon spread to a corn crib, chicken house and hog house, all of which were consumed by the flames. With difficulty Reigel, assisted by neighbors who were attracted by the fire, succeeded in removing his horses and cows from the barn, but a large number of chickens were destroyed.

When it appeared that the barn was doomed, Reigel and others who had formed a bucket brigade, concentrated their efforts on keeping the farm dwelling, contents of the barn included machinery, seed corn, oats and wheat. The exact loss had not been determined Saturday night.

Baptist Choir to Sing at Noon Over Radio Station KTNT

The choir of the Walnut Street Baptist church will broadcast a special musical program from radio station KTNT today between 12:45 and 1:15 p. m. Harold Fiedemann is organist and director of the group.

The following program will be heard: "Teach Me O Lord" by Hamilton. "O Jesus I Have Promised" by Frazee. "Heart of God" by McAfee. "Still With Thee" by McConaughy. "Alo Sol" by Katherine Schuchard. "Ere I Go" by Wilson. "Soprano Obligato Solo, Mrs. LeRoy Thomas. "Goin' Home" by Dvorak.

Walker Funeral Held at Wapello

WAPELLO, Ia.—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Eliza Walker who died last Saturday at Hanns, Alberta, Canada, were held Friday afternoon at the Christian church in this city where a large concourse of relatives and old home friends gathered as a last tribute. The services were conducted by the Rev. E. L. Nickle of Hanns, Ia., who was assisted by Mrs. Nickle and pastor, Mrs. Nita Schow and Mrs. Millicent Winter sang three numbers the pallbearers were: Ed Hicklin, Cal Blanchard, William Muir, Frank Clark, Dale Kremer and C. E. Stone. Burial was in the Wapello cemetery. A former service was held at Hanns at 9 o'clock Saturday night before the body was returned to Wapello.

Relatives who were here for the funeral were her three daughters, Mrs. Irene Fleming and Mrs. Agnes Fleming, both of Hanns, and Mrs. Mary Hunter and family of Havelock, Iowa, a sister Mrs. H. B. Bannister and husband of Chicago; a nephew Malcolm Rouch and family of Moberly, Mo.

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Local Pastors to Attend Conference in Council Bluffs

The Revs. Roy W. Merrifield and C. W. Hempstead will go to Council Bluffs Tuesday when the annual State conference of the Congregational churches convenes at the First Congregational church of Council Bluffs. The conference will last until Thursday.

Dr. F. P. Goodsell of Boston, Mass., will lead the discussion of "The Christ for the Crisis," and a round table will be held by some of the ministers to discuss the subject of "Present Day Social Conditions."

Local Authorities Seek Check Forger

Police are seeking a man who passed a forged check for \$5.25 at a cleaning shop at 222 East Second street Wednesday.

The check was made out in pencil to the man who cashed it, and bore a signature purporting to be that of Harry C. Herwig. Herwig says the check is a forgery, and that he has no checking account in the local bank on which it was drawn.

PASTORS PLAN WILTON DAILY BIBLE SCHOOL

Rev. Joseph Newgard Is Selected To Be Superintendent

WILTON JUNCTION, Ia.—(Special)—Plans for a daily vacation Bible school, to be held in the three Protestant churches, were made Wednesday evening at a meeting of the Ministerial association's official board. The Rev. Joseph Newgard was chosen superintendent and it was decided the Bible school would commence as soon as the public school closes.

The sessions will be held in the church buildings because work on the new school here will start as soon as vacation begins.

Mrs. Ella Nicolais returned Wednesday from the home of her husband, Mr. Elbert Johnson, in Iowa City, where she had been visiting since Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson accompanied her home and returned to Iowa City Thursday afternoon.

The executive committee of the Wilton high school alumni held a business meeting Wednesday evening and tentative plans were made for the annual banquet which will be held May 14. The ladies of the Methodist church will serve the banquet at the church dining room.

J. W. Lenker is the first farmer in this locality to plant corn. He had a 4-acre tract of land that he planted Wednesday in sweet corn, potatoes and field corn. Will Herr planted a patch of sweet corn Wednesday.

Mrs. Alvin Roberts and Mrs. E. Herwig went to Des Moines today to attend the sessions of the supreme White Shrine. She will return May 9.

Improvement was reported Saturday in the condition of Miss Rita Day, 209 West Third street.

Celebrating the last day of school, Miss Hazel Walter, teacher of the Shiloh school, Bloomington township, held a picnic at Weed park and a theater party at the Palace theater on Friday.

The Knights of Pythias hall was filled to capacity for conferring the rank of squire on a class of candidates Friday night. Past Chancellor Charles Weber officiated. Delegations were present from West Liberty, Wapello, Walcott, Durant, Sunbury and Tipton.

G. W. Lee has been issued a building permit for the erection of a frame residence on Grand avenue between Monroe and Jackson streets. The estimated cost is \$1,000.

A building permit has been issued authorizing August Wilchert to remodel the porch of his residence on Hervey avenue between Charles and Grover streets.

Miss Isabel Stinnett, Bloomington township, who was bitten by a squirrel last week, is reported feeling better. A test made in Iowa City showed the squirrel did not have rabies, as was feared at first.

Rev. Hempstead Will Attend Conference in Seattle June 25

The Rev. C. W. Hempstead, pastor of the Mulford Congregational church, will be Muscatine's delegate at the bi-annual national conference of the Congregational churches, to be held in Seattle, Wash., June 25 to July 3, it was announced today.

This body meets every two years and is composed of Congregational and Christian churches throughout the United States.

Many well known speakers from the entire country will be in Seattle for this conference and it is a meeting to which ministers look forward with keen interest.

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Around the Corner

Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to the following couples: Russell E. Gortner and Darlene Whisner, Floyd R. Perrin and Freda E. Hoppson, William Conley and Leona Walcott.

Lee Van Kirk, who with T. G. Reeves, has been auditing the county books in the past several weeks, is expected to complete his work here in a few days. Mr. Reeves has returned to his home in Des Moines.

The board of supervisors will convene Monday at the court house in regular semi-monthly session. Only routine matters are expected to come before the board.

A check for \$3,030.79 (representing Muscatine county's share of the state gasoline tax, was received Saturday by County Treasurer R. A. Van Dyke from State Treasurer Ray Johnson.

New car registrations reported Saturday include the following: Roy L. Fairbanks, Chrysler sedan; William Dittmon, 1164 New Hampshire street, Ford Tudor; Ray E. Tucker, 402 Cherry street, Chevrolet coupe; R. Stark, 1219 Smalley avenue, Chevrolet coach; Elmer Schwartz, 817 Sycamore street, Chevrolet coach.

A conference in preparation for the closing of the school term was held Saturday afternoon at the office of E. D. Bradley, county superintendent of schools, and was attended by twenty teachers. Eighth grade examinations and new school laws were among the topics discussed.

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MRS. SNELL DIES FROM PNEUMONIA

Mrs. Luther Snell, 28, died at Hervey hospital today of pneumonia after an illness of four weeks.

Mrs. Snell, nee Mildred Mulligan, was born in Davenport July 19, 1902, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mulligan. September 30, 1921 she was married to Luther Snell in Greenwood, Mississippi. Her home had been in Fruitland.

She is survived by the husband, five children, Kathleen, Betty Jane, Eva May, Richard, and Dorris Maxine; a brother, Thomas Mulligan of Wallace, Idaho; and two half brothers, John Mulligan of Peoria, Ill., and Frank Mulligan of Moline.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Monday from the Island Methodist Episcopal church. Burial will be made in the Island cemetery. The body was taken to the home from the Fairbanks home for funerals.

Ryan Funeral Will Be Monday Morning

BRINKLEY WINS POINT IN STATE LICENSE CASE

Kansas Forced to Reply to Charge of Conspiracy

TOPEKA, Kans.—(Special)—An attempt of John R. Brinkley to block through the federal court the state medical board's cancellation of his license to practice medicine netted a preliminary victory for him recently.

Judge John C. Pollock, in a memorandum opinion filed here with the clerk of the federal court, ruled the state must answer Brinkley's petition for an injunction against the medical board. It means Judge Pollock will hear all the facts relating to Brinkley's claim that he is legally a doctor and that he is not, and all the extraneous charges contained in the Brinkley petition as well.

After Brinkley's petition was filed several months ago the attorney general of Kansas, acting on behalf of the medical board, filed a motion asking the court to strike out seventeen paragraphs in the Milford doctor's petition.

The paragraphs objected to charged a conspiracy existed to deprive Brinkley of his license and to drive him out of business. They charged the medical board had acted illegally in citing him, in conducting the hearing and finally in voting to cancel the license.

Judge Pollock declined to strike out the parts of the petition to which the state had taken exception. He also ruled against the state in its contention that, since the constitutionality of a state law was involved, the state was entitled to have its case heard by a three-judge court.

The disputed points were argued before Judge Pollock in Kansas City, Kansas, several weeks ago.

State Leader of Farm Women Will Meet Local Group

Mrs. N. Mae Larson of Ames, assistant state leader in women's farm bureau work, will be in Muscatine next Friday to assist leaders of the various county groups in making plans for county and state fair work. All township and county publicity chairmen have been requested to meet with her at the courthouse.

Miss Grayce Stevens, home demonstration agent of the Farm Bureau has completed her training schools on nutrition courses, and poster and program work, and is locally finished in the townships. She will devote the most of this week to making preparations for the county fair and summer camp. One training school for the study of poster will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Harry Bolter.

Organization of a 4-H club for Moscow members at the home of Mrs. Newton Lang on Saturday, will be completed by Miss Stevens. She presented the poster lesson for women leaders Friday at a meeting held with Mrs. R. R. Wright in Wapiniton township.

Local Dentists to State Meet in Des Moines This Week

The 69th annual meeting of the Iowa state dental society, which will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in Des Moines, will be attended by nine Muscatine dentists.

Those who will attend from here are Drs. J. J. Bomke, M. P. Bomke, L. J. Donohue, F. W. Englund, E. E. Goss, I. G. Johnson, E. F. Lange, G. R. Hargis, and J. T. Martin. Drs. Harding and Teasdale of Wilton will also attend.

The meeting will open at the Hotel Fort at 8 a. m. Wednesday with a film on "Cancer Film." This will be followed by three lectures. In the afternoon there will be motion pictures on "Relation of Nutrition to Dental Health," two lectures, and section meetings. Tuesday evening there will be a program of talks.

Wednesday's program will consist of lecture demonstrations, followed by a banquet and dance in the evening.

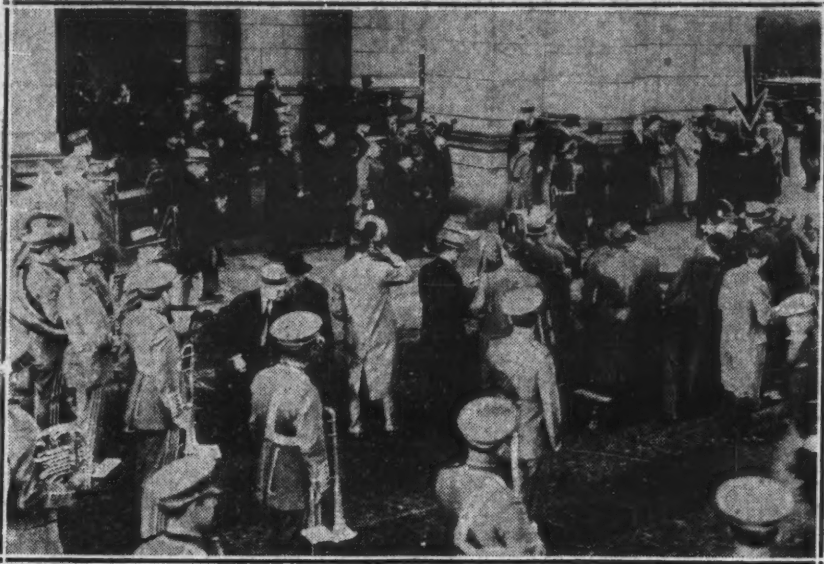
Divorce Granted To Bessie Haight Here on Saturday

Bessie Haight was granted a divorce from Albert G. Haight by Judge D. V. Jackson in district court Saturday, on grounds of cruelty. The action was not contested. Attorney F. L. Bihmeier represented the plaintiff. The couple was married in Illinois, April 2, 1924. In a divorce suit filed Saturday, Anna Montgomery charges Joe Montgomery with cruelty and asks that she be awarded the custody of their three children and the household goods. The couple married Aug. 8, 1904, and lived together until March 8, 1931. Drake & Wilson are attorneys for Mrs. Montgomery.

Ames Specialist To Aid Baby Beef Members on Tour

Members of the Muscatine County Pig club will be assisted Wednesday on their tour of the county by John Quist, assistant state leader. It was announced Saturday by Carl Rylander, county farm agent. Plans for the event are not entirely completed, but if possible, the tour will be continued on Thursday. Inspection will be made during the tour of pigs being raised by Muscatine county members. A meeting of the boys club committee at 7:30 a. m. Monday at the court house to plan for fair work. The committee is headed by A. J. Mierusse.

U. S. Army Band Plays Siamese Anthem



King Prajadhipok of Siam and his consort being greeted upon their arrival in Washington, D. C. The king, indicated by arrow, is flanked by Vice President Curtis and Secretary of State Stimson. In the foreground of the picture, which was taken at the presidential entrance to Union station, are members of the U. S. Army band, which played the Siamese national anthem. The band will be in Muscatine on its concert tour on September 4.

MUSCATINE 'HI' HONORED AGAIN

Is Named 'Among the Best' by Accrediting Association

Muscatine high school has again been named on the accredited list of the North Central association of colleges and secondary schools. It was announced at the high school Saturday.

It has held this honor since 1909, having met with the requirements of the association each year. The term of expiration is March 20, 1932. This association, covering a territory of 20 states in the union, opens its action to all schools as a voluntary movement to establish closer relations between the secondary schools and the institutions of higher education in the north central states.

The requirements of a school to receive the honor from the accrediting association are summarized as follows:

It must be on the list of schools approved by state school authorities. It must meet the high standards which the association maintains with respect to the school buildings and its equipment; the school library; laboratory; instructional equipment and apparatus; school records; graduation requirements; instruction and spirit; salaries of teachers; their training and preparation; teaching load and pupil load and the school's program with reference to physical education and athletic relationship with other schools as determined by the state athletic association.

Advantages Offered
Schools listed under the accredited association offer such advantages to their pupils as:

The graduates of an accredited high school are privileged to enter institutions of higher education within the north central states without entrance examinations, provided that they have studied in the high school subjects required by the college or university for admission. The graduates of accredited high schools have the assurance that their high school diplomas will be acceptable to state boards having to do with the granting of certificates for the various professions of medicine, dentistry, law, etc. In states requiring graduation from approved high school as prerequisite to the obtaining of a teaching certificate, the graduates of schools accredited by the North Central as-

VISITORS AT FREE PRESS

J. G. Miehle, Oskaw, Ia.
Mrs. Josie Cannon, Smithshire, Ill.
Miss Bessie Cannon, Smithshire, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cannon, Smithshire, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. William Jha, Massillon, Ia.
John Hamdorf, Massillon, Ia.
A. E. Davis, Crawfordville, Ia.
Mrs. Marietta McCoy, Columbus Junction, Ia.
Mrs. Margaret E. Davis, Glendale, Calif.
Mrs. A. E. Davis, Crawfordville, Ia.
Mrs. Lena Wolf, Anamosa, Ia.
Mrs. E. O. Beensblomson, Family, Washington, Ia.
H. E. Northrup, Anamosa, Ia.
Mrs. Rhoda Smith, Washington, Ia.
Carl Sauer, Anamosa, Ia.

sociation meet the requirements of such a law.

High Standards Maintained
A high school approved by this association must maintain high standards and consequently the community is assured of a program of modern high school education.

The examination of the school at regular intervals by inspectors and supervisors serves to stimulate progress and to prevent the development of questionable practices and tendencies.

A high school accredited by the North Central association enjoys a greater prestige in the surrounding country and therefore finds it easier to attract non-resident pupils. The patrons have more confidence in the school and are generally more willing to support an accredited high school.

A Utica barber who years ago recommended Red Ames to the Giants also was responsible for the Giants signing Harold Schumacher, this year's rookie pitching sensation.

WARN AGAINST GIVING RIDES

Dangers of Carrying Strangers in Cars Pointed Out

Increasing numbers of hitch-hikers who have appeared on the highways of Muscatine county with the arrival of warm spring weather have added to the danger to motorists who give lifts to strangers, often to their sorrow.

City and county officers argue that the driver who stops to give a "lift" to strangers who raise an appealing hand as they walk along the public highways, are exposing themselves to robbery and possibly physical violence at the hands of the persons they thus befriended.

This was the case recently of a Colorado man who picked up two young men at Omaha, and after driving them to a point near Atalissa, was held up at the point of a gun and relieved of \$61 and his automobile.

The American Motorists association has issued a general warning against the practice of giving rides to hitch-hikers. The association points out as a primary argument that the motorist in most states, assumes a financial responsibility for the safety of his passenger. The fact that the passenger is being transported without compensation does not change the aspect of his legal liability, the association argues.

Another argument advanced by the association is that often the motorist becomes a victim of his passenger by assault and robbery. In

STUDENTS WILL MAKE LAST BOW

3 of 'Smiling Through' Cast to Graduate This Spring

With the final Junior College play of the season scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the high school auditorium, three student actors will make their final bow to audiences who go to see the college play.

Orval Schauland, Virgil Godfrey and Walter Hunn will play for the last time in a Junior College cast. Each will graduate in June and never again take part in dramatic work for the red and white.

Schauland will have the leading male role in the play, "Smiling Through," which has been undergoing rehearsals for some weeks now under the supervision of Miss Luella Kautz, assistant dean of the college and dramatic advisor and director.

Godfrey and Hunn have taken active part in dramatics for the past two years in the college and are among the finer actors of the school, Miss Kautz said. Hunn played the same role in "Smiling Through" with a Chautauque company.

Miss Helen Sweet will have the leading feminine role. She is a freshman, at the school.

Seniors from seven schools surrounding Muscatine have been invited as guests to attend the two performances. These schools are Durant, Wilton, Columbus Junction, Grandview, Letts, Conesville and Nichols.

Tickets for "Smiling Through" have been on sale by students this past week and reserved seats will go on sale Monday at Henderson's drug store, No. 1. The curtain will be 8:15 p. m.

DEEDS RECORDED

Lee G. Young et ux to Ionia Young, lot 6, block 72, Park Place addition to Muscatine.

John Hinrichs et ux to Harry V. Blair, lot 15, Cypress addition to Muscatine.

Eugene A. Batchelor and Leonel I. Batchelor to Benjamin A. Batchelor, undivided interest in west one-half lot 3, block 16, Muscatine.

F. M. Ziegler et ux to Albert and Ida Neitzel, north 79 feet of middle 20 feet of lot 6, block 10, Muscatine.

Mark Coyner et ux to Della M. Rummels, tract of land in section 14, township 77, 4W.

This event, the motorist has much to lose and nothing to gain from such practice.

AUTOISTS TOLD TO BE CAREFUL

Local Motor Club Is Getting Ready for Safety Week

What causes the most automobile accidents? There are many answers, or in other words there are many things to remember when one is sitting behind the wheel. In view of the forthcoming National Safety Week, which date is not yet set but may be observed the middle of May, the Muscatine branch of the Eastern Iowa Motor club, affiliated with the A. A. A., gives a few hints to the public in hopes of curbing to some extent the many needless accidents.

"Perhaps the most deadly of accidents are the results of speeding. Speeding is needless and foolish. Speeders endanger others than themselves half of the time," according to an article released by the motor club.

"It seems to be the fate of speeders to escape accidents more often than is their just due, while some careful driver bears the suffering through the 'fool's practice,' it goes on.

Remember Signals
The motor club brings to the attention of the driver the careful and diligent use of signals.

"The driver behind you is not a mind reader; he governs his actions by your signals," is some of the advice the club offers.

"If you neglect them a collision may result. Signals are not merely acts of courtesy; they are absolutely necessary for the safety under present conditions.

Pedestrians could, if they would stop to think, save many accidents by avoiding unnecessary moves. Above all things they are warned by the motor club to look before they leap.

"Stormy weather calls for additional precaution on the part of both the driver and the pedestrian. The pedestrian is apt to pull his hat down over his face or hold his umbrella down and dash across the street without watching where he is going. The driver should be sure his vision is clear and unobstructed so that he may be able to watch these things carefully.

"The man who buries his head in an umbrella and rushes across the street is foolish as the ostrich who thinks he fools his pursuers by burying his head in the sand," the article continues.

The repair of automobiles is stressed as an important factor in safety today.

"Quick thinking and steady nerves won't prevent an accident if your brakes and steering gear are defective," the motor club declares.

"Keep your horn in order and use it to warn others of your approach but don't depend too much on it. It won't blow pedestrians out of the way."

A Word for Children
It is acknowledged that children will play in the streets, dangerous as it is. "Children do not have the playing opportunities that were afforded you when you were young," is the advice the club gives. "Therefore take pains to watch out for them, they are bound to play in the street."

"At the very lowest a child's life is estimated at \$5,000 to a community, but this cannot compensate the loss of one to the parents who have to suffer."

There are many other hints such as jaywalking, parking of autos, don't argue with locomotives, look both ways and live, automobile courtesy, wait on a sidewalk for a car, hitchhiking a dangerous sport, and so forth.

National Safety Week will be issued in with an abundance of "tips" and warnings to the motorist and pedestrian. It is a national observance and will be uniform throughout the country at this time.

PERFECT GEMS

Mother's Day

A remembrance of charm. A Bluebird Registered Diamond Ring is a splendid tribute to her loveliness. Your Mother will enjoy its permanent beauty.

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As We See It

The T. B. Law Contest

The decision of the United States Supreme Court in the Radio Corporation of America case has given rise to the hope the nation's highest tribunal will also decide in favor of the protesting farmers in the T. B. test case in which plain justice seems to be on the side of the people as opposed to corporate interests as was the radio decision. Although the contentions are widely divergent there is one underlying principle applying to both and that principle is compulsion. In the radio case manufacturers of sets were compelled to equip their product with RCA tubes and in the cattle case the farmers are compelled to submit their cattle to the tuberculin test, itself of no value, according to many medical authorities. In any event the supreme court will have the following contentions to consider:

Faced by a second test in Mitchell county involving thousands of dairy and breeding cattle, without regard to the apparent health of the animals, the farmers claim that under the first test 2,643 cattle, valued at more than \$160,000, were killed when all except 247 were found on federal inspection to be fit for food.

The law was attacked on the ground that it required the use of one specified test which often resulted in injury to healthy cattle. The test was required when it was not warranted by conditions, compelled the destruction of all cattle reacting to the test although most of them were later declared fit for food.

Good Health Club

"SELF-RELIANCE"
Friday we had the first part of this interesting article so today we shall continue on with the remainder. There is no doubt at all that each one will come across some points in this article which will help them. Reading the articles of various writers gives one many angles from which to study a given subject which is the best thing possible as it keeps one open and broad minded. Today we will consider the "regime" for building self-reliance. Take up a good, reliable system of general physical culture. With a healthy body and mind there will come that robust spirit of self-help and self-reliance which characterizes healthy and vital people. A sound nervous system nourished with good, clean, healthy food, is the best guarantee of self confidence.

With exceptions here and there, the men and women who have made history by their boldness and courage have been people in the possession of great physical and mental vigor and magnanimity. If not being fortunate enough to have been born 100 per cent physically fit, too many people have been people in the possession of great physical and mental vigor and magnanimity. If not being fortunate enough to have been born 100 per cent physically fit, too many people have been people in the possession of great physical and mental vigor and magnanimity.

If you have any stomach or bowel troubles such as indigestion, constipation, excessive flatulence (gas), or other source of internal physical irritation you should strive to remedy this by natural, drugless, healing methods. A suitable, balanced, non-irritant diet consisting largely of fruits, vegetables, cheese, some eggs and milk, and if necessary in people who are greatly run down, some lean meat providing that sufficient green leafy foods and raw salads are combined with it to secure proper elimination. The foods and drinks which cause nerve irritation are flesh foods (when carelessly eaten) white sugar, excess of table salt, too many sweet foods like jam, marmalade, pies, cake, alcohol, tea, coffee and cocoa.

Daily systematic physical culture exercises, including deep breathing and muscular relaxation, will assist in the attainment of an excellent circulation.

Rapid and sometimes cold baths (depending upon the patient's recuperative powers) sun and air baths, and dry friction-massage of the skin by the aid of a dry towel or soft brush are also fine for building sturdy nerves.

A reasonable amount of sports and competitive games tends to build definite character qualities of courage, initiative and self reliance. This is especially true of team games, where, every member has to learn to fill his proper part and contribute to the success of the whole.

If in the past you have been unconsciously, or sub-consciously, repeating to yourself the harmful suggestion that you cannot do this or that, no wonder that you suffer with inferiority. You may have had failures in the past, but it is foolish

to dwell morbidly or discouragingly upon them. Learn their lessons by all means, and then resolve to cut out of your life in the future those mistakes or weaknesses of the past which have robbed you of self-confidence, such as devaluing bad habits, lack of compelling aims and ambitions, and so on. I do not believe that if as life had begun all over again, Nanny," said he. "It was too tame there in that barn."

"But it was very nice not to have to worry all the time," replied Nanny timidly.

"So it was, so it was," Danny answered. "But if we lived that way long we wouldn't be worth a flip of my tail for looking out for ourselves in time of danger. You know it is only by using that wits are kept sharp. And then what a place to bring up children that barn would be! Why, they never would learn anything there. Everyone to his own place, and the beautiful Green Meadows, under the blue, blue sky. Now, we've got to give that pesky black trouble-maker the slip. There is one thing sure and that is that we have learned a lot about Black Pussy since we have been up here. She'll sit and watch the place where we ran in and never once think that we are going to leave some other fellow getting away from this place is going to be easy."

(To be continued)

Pointed Paragraphs

Pointless conversation bores quickly.

If the youth is too fresh it is likely to spoil the man.

To err is human and to stick to it is still more so.

Don't drop insinuations. A bigger man may pick them up.

Electricity is not a bad word, but it is often quite shocking.

ABE MARTIN



As between a hungry house fly and a clerk that hangs onto you I believe I prefer the house fly. A husband is a feller, accordin' to his wife in the back seat, who can't see a load of hay comin'.

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The farmers also state that the law compelled the quarantine of healthy herds, resulting in great loss, without the owners having an opportunity to be heard and without the state providing adequate compensation. The farmers also allege the law is invalid under the fourteenth amendment to the federal constitution in that it deprived cattle owners of property without due process of law.

Such is the information now before the United States Supreme Court. The decision is awaited with extreme interest.

What's Next In Education?

Although there is considerable evidence to the contrary, most people still believe that students go to our universities to be educated. It is still presumed that education is the main objective of such institutions. This being true, if students cannot maintain the required standards of proficiency it is better that they leave college than to continue to be misfits.

This seems to have been the idea of the faculty at Miami university at Oxford, Ohio, where a girl student was dismissed for not keeping up with her work. Dismissals do not come without warning. She undoubtedly was given plenty of opportunity to improve in her work, but she failed. Abetted by her parents this student has gone into the courts and obtained a temporary injunction restraining the college authorities from dismissing her and she is now attending her classes pending a final decision.

It is hard to see how a court can have jurisdiction in such matters. In the event the injunction is made permanent the whole structure of our educational system in maintaining curriculum standards, and discipline, will be threatened. It would seem that if a student can successfully resist such an

Just Kiddies

By T. W. Burgess

MORE ADVENTURES

"Phew! Seems like old times, doesn't it, Nanny?" panted Danny Meadow Mouse as safe under the pile of old rails in Farmer Brown's barnyard they listened to Black Pussy's growl of disappointment as she felt around for them with a black paw. Then he chuckled. "I feel as if life had begun all over again, Nanny," said he. "It was too tame there in that barn."

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"For awhile Danny and Nanny kept perfectly still, resting and getting their breath. Then, taking care not to make the teeniest, weeniest sound, Danny peeped out. As he expected, there sat Black Pussy with her eyes fixed on the place where Danny and Nanny had disappeared under the pile of old rails. Down inside Danny chuckled. "The Yaw signaled Nanny and the tip-toed where they could tip-toe and crawled where they had to crawl until they reached the other side of the pile of old rails, and not once did they make a sound to reach the ears of Black Pussy.

Danny peeped out. The way seemed clear and he boldly scampered out, Nanny right at his heels. Both laughed as they thought of Black Pussy patiently watching on the other side of that pile of rails. Straight to the nearest fence they scampered, for Danny had learned when he was very young that it is along fences that tall weeds and bushes grow and that grass is not cut, but grows tall and then when cold weather comes falls over and makes a matted tangle under which a Meadow Mouse often can travel far without being seen by watchful eyes above.

It was a long, long journey they had before them. Danny knew that it wouldn't have seemed so long to you or to me, but to such little folks as Danny and Nanny Meadow Mouse it was a very long journey indeed. So they wisely decided not to hurry too fast. In fact, they stopped to rest very, very often. They would scamper along a few feet, then stop under cover of a mass of old dead grass while Danny looked and listened and listened and looked to make sure that the way was clear for the next run. It was one of these times while they were resting that there was a sudden snuffing sound that sent cold shivers all over them. It was Bowser the Hound who happened along just then and stopped to sniff in the very patch of grass under which they were hiding. You know it is Bowser's way to sniff at everything as he goes along.

"Quick!" cried Danny, and darted out from under the grass and into a little hole among the roots of a tree. Nanny followed and there they panted with excitement as Bowser clumsily tried to dig them out and couldn't because of the roots. Bowser didn't really want them. He just tried to catch them for the fun of it, and when he found he couldn't he soon gave up and trotted off. As soon as they were sure he was out of the way they started on.

Presently they came to a little open place among the bushes along the fence and Danny started to scamper across. Just in the nick of time he saw something that made him turn and run back so suddenly that he ran right into Nanny and knocked her over.

"What is it?" asked Nanny anxiously.

"Mr. Blacksnake taking a sun-bath," whispered Danny, his teeth chattering with fright. "Don't make a sound, Nanny, not a sound!"

People's Pulpit

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I am writing this letter in the hope that it will be printed in the Midwest Free Press. I think Mr. Norman Baker is to be congratulated that he has the stamina to tell the truth in the Free Press over his radio station and in his magazine. If a few more newspapers would do this instead of hiding behind doors like they do people would be better off.

I want to say that I sent a communication similar to this to another paper and of course while it may not be extra good it is the truth and the opinion of a lot of people but the paper did not even acknowledge it. If there had been anything opposed to KKK in it probably the communication would have been on the front page. Just to give you an example of how this paper stands with the people here is the way they do it.

A certain construction gang received a contract to pave a hill here in Mt. Madison. They took a lot of money from here but hired only three Ft. Madison men. The paper reported that they hired twenty-six men. The rest were from out of town. We feel that these men took the money out of here they should at least have given it to the unemployed here so that they could pay their bills.

For many years it has been an unemployed man as have other cities. We feel that everyone should pull together, especially in these hard times. One person cannot do it all. It takes co-operation. Our merchants have banded together and have a slogan "Travel and Ship by Rail." That is fine but they cannot do it all either.

The railroad should co-operate by employing more Americans. This isn't a drive against foreigners but almost all of them employed by railroads are given rent and fuel free, and it is safe to say that not nearly so many of them have been discharged as have Americans.

Do you think it fair that our people should be out of work, unable to meet their bills, and the foreigners given rent and fuel free? Where is the United States wealth going? People should realize that it is being sent back to other countries. Who in the long run spends more money, thus helping the merchant and manufacturer. I know of several foreign families who send back their money to their countries and things made there, while our people give the money to merchants and manufacturers here.

People in high offices don't realize that the little things going un-

noticed every day are what is keeping this great depression upon us. The world is facing the biggest crisis it has ever known. Population is increasing and employment is decreasing. These modern inventions are nice but they are a curse to the world because every machine manufactured takes the place of labor to some extent.

We have one firm here in our town that hires all the women it can get and lays off men so that women can take their places. It isn't because it is women's work and we can't understand why it does this.

Man's place is to earn the living and a woman's place is in the home. Over half of the women employed in this factory are ones who spend their money for fine clothes, care of their hair and face powder. Some of them are married women with husbands earning a living and have more than enough to keep them if they live sensibly. I wonder if they ever stop to think that a good many men and women are keeping up a home, raising a family on smaller salaries than their husbands are making. Of course maybe they haven't a fine car and fine clothes but there are not as many divorces in this kind of a home as there are in these other ones.

Men that have had sickness and death in their families and have been out of work, and women who are left the task of being father, mother and wage earners for the children, should be given employment wherever possible. A married woman with a husband earning a living wage should learn to keep within it and spend accordingly.

I think a law should be passed that married women with other means of support should not be given employment. I believe there is some such law in Colorado. If this were so there would be less people for the county to keep. There has been many a family on the relief fund here that could have been given employment. Of course I realize this may not be so good but I had to write it this way to explain how I and a good many others feel. It is by chance that my country is enough to print will you please send me a copy of the paper in which it appears? I hope it does some good. I also hope that Mr. Baker will keep up his good work. Right will always win and he has a lot of listeners and readers who are loyal to his cause.

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action an incompetent employee could also prevent his employer from separating him from his job.

The injunction has been used too much as it is in meddling with private affairs, particularly in connection with labor disputes. Its application should be curtailed rather than extended as illustrated by the Miami case.

Expensive Not to Advertise

Many housewives in middle life can recall Pyle's Pearlina, a cleaning powder which was found in nearly every household early in the present century. But it is unknown today because the company decided not to advertise. No matter how good your product unless you keep the public advised ultimate failure is certain. We believe our advertisers will be interested in the rise and fall of this commodity, as described by the Lake City Graphic-Republican, as it shows the folly of trying to economize by cutting down advertising which is in reality an investment rather than an expense:

To the businessman who thinks the public does not need to be constantly reminded of who he is and what he has to sell, the often told story of Pyle's Pearlina will bear repeating.

"In 1904 Pearlina, a cleaning material, was used by a large percentage of the housewives of the country, and the company spent \$500,000 in advertising that year.

"Later the advertising was curtailed, and about 1907 it was discontinued altogether, as the company thought the product so well-known that it did not require further advertising.

"Sales fell off rapidly, but the owners persisted in their non-advertising policy until 1915, when the whole concern, including good will, was sold for \$12,000. Pearlina was dead.

"Many other products whose names were household words a few years ago are not heard of today because they failed

to keep up their advertising and consequently the public forgot them.

"Businessmen must remember that new generations are coming along all the time, and these new buyers must be personally sold on a product or a store, as their fathers and mothers were sold before them. The only time it is safe to stop advertising is when one is ready to go out of business."

NO. 5293

"Killer" Fred Burke, who, police declare, is guilty of 21 murders, is now No. 5293 in the Marquette, Mich., penitentiary where he was sentenced for life after pleading guilty to the slaying of a policeman. He says he intends to be a model prisoner. What he says does not matter particularly now. He is just a numbered human being looking into a hopeless future as punishment for his misdeeds. He, too, has discovered that crime does not pay.

The mystery of what jurors talk about when they are out many hours in the jury room has been somewhat cleared by the statement of a veteran. He says they spend most of the time walking back and forth asking "Gotta match?"

J. H. Sexton, a Galesburg, Illinois man, is suing the Government for the return of a meteor which fell on his farm. It would seem Uncle Sam ought to let the man have the thing until he finds another just as good.

Our Platform for the People Is:

1. Less taxation.
2. Fewer State Commissions.
3. Universal school books.
4. Lower freight rates.
5. Return of river transportation.
6. A cleanup of some state institutions.
7. More efficiency in public offices.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

ART FOR ART'S SAKE

The robin perches on a limb To chant his liquid lays So all the world may look on him And see his throat ablaze. The redbird, bright against the sky, Upon the poplar swings Where every casual passerby May see him as he sings.

The wrens begin at rise of sun Their carols of good cheer, And pipe as long as any one Is still abroad to hear. The tiny doves seem to long To scale the heights of fame, They mean that those who hear Their song Shall know from whence it came.

But listen, when the sun has set And dusk has spread a veil Across the tiny rivulet And over hill and dale, On banks of moss, and fallen logs And bits of drifting bark, The unpretentious little frogs Are singing in the dark!

They do not ask the world's esteem, These little lyric elves, The songs that echo from the stream They sing to please themselves. Not on applause from me and you Their earnest hearts are bent, For they, alone, possess the true Artistic temperament.

You Can Guess What Kind People are beginning to suspect that Mr. Walker is only an acting Mayor.

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Learn to Know the Right Word

By W. C. Nicholson

ASKS FOR HELP

A reader of "The Right Word" asks help in his task of—well, let us read his letter, and then we shall have his story:

"I have a friend who makes numerous mistakes in his English, and I wonder if you could help me break him of the bad habit in several instances."

"One of his errors is the mispronunciation of the word 'address.' He always accents the first syllable instead of the last."

"Another error is the use of the nominative pronoun at the beginning of a question when the construction calls for the objective case. The following sentence illustrates my point: Who did you see when you were downtown?"

"Still another of his habitual mistakes is the use of the double comparative 'more often.' Example: He will come more often than you expect."

"Sometimes I may send you more of his errors, but right now I should like to see these corrections made in your column, so that I can show him the article and impress him strongly with the errors of his way."

Answer: The foregoing letter came from John H. Nalamith of Dallas, Tex. Of course, the last syllable of "address" should be accented. Correct: Whom did you see? Say either "often" or "more often."

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SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES and HELPFUL HINTS for the WOMEN

State Officers Entertained by Women's Group

Special guests at the party given by the Women's Relief Corps at Macabees hall Friday night were Mrs. Bessie Hargrove, state department president of Ottumwa and Mrs. Orville Turner, state department secretary of Fairfield. Mrs. Hargrove gave a talk and announced the convention to be held at Marshalltown June 7-10.

Preceding the business session on Friday night a pot luck supper was served. At the meeting held immediately after the supper an invitation was read from the Rev. Vernon L. Shontz, pastor of the First Baptist church, to attend services at his church on Memorial Sunday, May 24. The women have accepted the invitation.

The Relief Corps members will meet at the Legion home to make wreaths for Memorial Day. The date will be announced later.

An old fashioned school was a feature of the evening's entertainment. The participants were dressed in children's clothing and Mrs. Jennie Tille and Mrs. Dora Hernandez were voted the most popular "children" in the school. Miss Eva Reed acted as teacher and Mrs. Jennie Richardson was in charge of the school band.

Mrs. Anna Beahm was chairman of the refreshment committee.

Program Given at Lone Tree

A program and pie supper were given at the Lone Tree school in Fruitland township Friday night. Under the direction of the teacher, Carson Kemp, the following program was presented:

Songs, "America" and "My Old Kentucky Home," school recitation, "Mother," Jacky Butcher; recitation, "Sunshine," Roberta Westergelt; dramatization, "Mother," six girls; songs, "The Fiddle," the Bellamy's; two boys and two girls; recitation, "The Little School-teacher," Lila Bierman; dramatization, "The Best Birds," second grade; songs, "Daisy Maids," fourth and fifth grades; recitation, "Bluebird," Carl Shingledacker; dialog, "The Naughty Mouse," four girls; recitation, "Willie's Speech," Oscar Seright; songs, "Singing School," and "Sourwood Mountain," upper grade boys; recitation, "Old Speckle," Loretha Reichert; recitation, "The Girl Next Door," Ernest Bartenhagen; dialog, "A Good Husband," Helen Thomas and Dorothy Bryant; recitation, "Don't," Elmer Tisor; songs, "Iowa," upper grade boys; address, Mrs. Sarah Huffman; recitation, Charles Seright; closing song, "Goodnight," three girls.

Mrs. Bertha Griffith formerly of Muscatine is visiting her friend, Mrs. Bruce Laney in Canton, Ill.

Penrod Children Will Appear in Recital

Mr. and Mrs. George Chase will present Terrell, Annaveene, Ruth and Earl Penrod in a recital at the Chase studio Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Chase, who is the piano teacher will play the second piano parts. The program follows:

Sonatina No. 1, Terrell Penrod. With second piano, Sonatina No. 7, Annaveene Penrod with second piano; Sonatina No. 4, Ruth Penrod with second piano; violin selection, Earl Penrod; In Camp, Secrets of the Attic, Terrell Penrod; Frolics of a Fairy Night and On the Meadow, Annaveene Penrod; Spring Showers and Pepita, Ruth Penrod; Piano trio, Taps, Ruth, Annaveene and Terrell Penrod.

'Joy-Givers' Class Has Breakfast

Miss Helen Heide, teacher of the 'Joy-Givers' class of the First Methodist church, and 12 members of the class enjoyed a May breakfast at Weddick hall Friday morning. Election of officers was held following the breakfast resulting as follows: president, Miss Jean Lemkau; vice president, Miss Elizabeth Legler; and secretary, treasurer, Miss Dorothy Keckler.

Miss Griffith Gives Complimentary Party

Miss Helen Griffith, 1605 Mulberry avenue, entertained a group of friends Thursday evening at Vetter cottage in honor of Christian Shenk who was celebrating his birthday. Games and boat riding formed the amusements of the guests.

D. of U. V. Will Meet Monday

The Daughters of Union Veterans will convene Monday night at Memorial hall at 8 o'clock.

OUR READERS' COOKING

MENU FOR MONDAY
BREAKFAST: Grapefruit juice, hominy with cream, baked eggs, bacon curls, corn waffles, maple syrup coffee.
LUNCHEON: Creamed eggs on toast, lettuce, Russian dressing, strawberry cottage pudding, tea.
DINNER: Mulligatawny soup, baked ham, delmonico potatoes, buttered cabbage, endive salad, French dressing, cracker raisin pudding, coffee.

Corn Waffles
 Sift 2 cups flour with 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder and one-half teaspoon salt; add 2 eggs well beaten and mixed with 1 cup milk, beat thoroughly, then add 1 can corn and bake in heated waffle irons. Serve while hot.

Strawberry Cottage Pudding
 Rub to a cream 1 tablespoon butter and one-half cup sugar, add

Now 22



(Acme Photo)
 Holland gave over April 30 to the celebration of the 22d birthday of Crown Princess Juliana. Flags flew over the public buildings throughout the country but the festivities centered in The Hague. The royal family spent most of the day in the palace, but at night they witnessed a fireworks display on the parade ground. There was choral singing in the streets and the carillon played from the steeple of the great church.

Local Couple Wed Saturday

The marriage of Miss Norma Jehle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin O. Jehle, 1419 Park avenue, and Charles Hagermann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hagermann, 1809 Mulberry avenue, was solemnized Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The service was held at the First Presbyterian parsonage. The Rev. J. B. Rendall, pastor read the single ring ceremony.

The bride was attractively gowned in blue silk taffeta and carried an arm bouquet of pink and white roses. Her bridesmaid, Miss Eva Gardner, wore a printed crepe frock and carried a bouquet of roses. Ray Winninger was best man.

After a short wedding trip the couple will return to Muscatine where they will reside at 1809 Mulberry avenue.

Play Given at the Friends Church

"Two Masters" was the title of the play presented at the Bloomington Friends church Friday night, when the Springfield Quarterly conference of Friends opened a week-end program in the county.

Those taking part in the play were: Mrs. Van Horn, Miss Esther Stortz, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Cella Thieker, Janet McCrea, missionary, Miss Ruth Stortz.

Group of college friends, Misses Elizabeth Stillech, Alice Ganes and Anna M. Herwig.

Mrs. C. Bonder Witt Jones, traveler and lecturer, Miss Elizabeth Smith.

President of the club, Miss Mabel Mills.

Rainbow Girls Give Breakfast Party

Fifty members of the Rainbow Order for Girls enjoyed a breakfast party at Wild Cat Den Saturday morning. The guests were Mrs. Jeanette Smalley were in charge of the arrangements for the affair.

Special guests at the breakfast were Miss Arlene Washburn of Davenport, Mrs. Elsie Smalley, Mrs. Hazel Korneman, Mrs. Abner Hahn, Mrs. Ethel Moore, Mrs. Laura Ward, Mrs. Faye Greiner, Mrs. Della Slight and Frank Wilford.

Mrs. Kleinfelder To Be Hostess

The Royal Neighbors Aid and Sunshine club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Helen Kleinfelder, 419 Liberty street. The members will spend the time sewing buttons and a card game will also be enjoyed following refreshments. The assisting hostesses are Mrs. Margaret Vanatta, Mrs. Dorothy Mooney and Miss Emma Rebehn.

Mother-Daughter Party by U. B. Women Friday

Sixty mothers and daughters of the United Brethren church were entertained at the party given by members of the Women's Missionary society and the Otterbein Guild at the home of Mrs. Ira Hawley, 506 East Sixth street Friday night.

A program of varied numbers was presented followed by a social hour and a supper. Mrs. Hawley was assisted with the courtesies of the evening by Mrs. Ralph Schwerfeger.

The program included the following numbers: Devotionals, Miss Carrie Mull; "Call to Worship," a reading by Miss Velma Kintzle; a talk, "Our Mothers" by Miss Dorothy DeCamp; "Our Daughters" by Mrs. Ira Hawley; a talk, "We Girls for Other Girls," Miss Florence Duto; "We Women for Other Women," Mrs. Harry Meeker; piano solo, Miss Flora Eussen; vocal duet, Misses Marian Edmunds and Florence Duto; vocal solo, Miss Pauline Alexander; playlet, "The Other Mary," Mrs. Jesse Wagner, the Misses Mildred Richardson, Marian Edmunds, Doris DeCamp, Bessie Cunningham, Leonore Hopkins, Anna Mae White, Helen Bredeve and Nora Meeker.

The Missionary society will meet in regular session June 2 at the home of the Misses Ida and Carrie Mull, 1722 Mulberry avenue.

W. B. A. Will Have an Important Meeting

The Women's Benefit association will meet Monday night at 7:45 o'clock at Macabees hall. Important business will be taken care of and a report on the recent convention in Des Moines will be read by Mrs. Maude Sauer.

A social hour will be held and refreshments served by Mrs. Anna Hank, Mrs. Etta Chant, Mrs. Helen Butler, Mrs. Ida Fahey and Mrs. Effie Schomberg.

Local Man Attends Fraternity Party

Stanley Baker of Muscatine was a guest at the spring formal given by members of the Delta Sigma Pi fraternity at Iowa City Friday night.

The affair was a dinner-dance held at the Red Ball Inn. Chuck Garber and his Commodore Orchestra played for the dancing.

Shiloh Group Enjoys Outing in City

Pupils of Shiloh school in Bloomington township, the parents and the teacher, Miss Hazel Walter, celebrated the last day of school Friday by picnicking at Weed park. They later enjoyed the matinee at the Fox Palace theater.

Rambling 'Round With Mary

With a sharp tang still in the air we need something that looks springy and yet has a dash of warmth. The Adie-Belle shop has the answer to our needs. The cutest knitted suits. A three-piece white one caught my eye while rambling 'round and I'm thinking it is wise to take advantage of such clever outfits when you can get them for such a substantial lowering in price.

How do you all like these new hats turned so savagely back from the face. Kind of pirate like. And they know. Garfield's have the latest in the petite chapeaux. After buying one of these sweet little hats I should advise dashing up to the new beauty parlor, Mrs. B. Figg Thompson's to get beautified further, because plenty of face and hair shows with these small models.

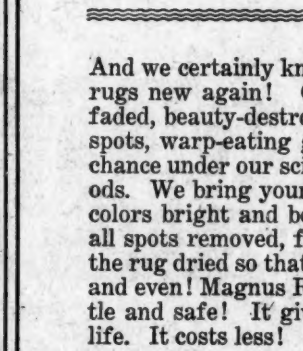
Two Couples Come Here for Wedding

Reversing the procedure that will probably become popular after July 4, when the five-day residence law goes into effect, a couple from East Alton, Ill., drove here Saturday and obtained a marriage license. They were Floyd E. Perrin and Frieda E. Hobson and were married by Justice of Peace Coster.

Russell E. Gartner of Davenport and Darlene Whistner of Cummings, Ia., obtained a license here and were married by Coster Saturday afternoon.

Making Rugs NEW Is Our Business

And we certainly know how to make old rugs new again! Colors that appear faded, beauty-destroying soil, unsightly spots, warp-eating grit—they have no chance under our scientific expert methods. We bring your rug back to you—colors bright and beautiful, nap raised, all spots removed, fringes straight, and the rug dried so that it lies perfectly flat and even! Magnus Rug Shampoo is gentle and safe! It gives your rug longer life. It costs less!



Magnus Model Laundry
 208 East Fourth St. Muscatine

Charming



(Acme Photo)
 The above photo shows Frau Martha Steiner, regarded by many Viennese critics as the most beautiful woman in the Austrian capital. She is popular as a hostess in the best society of the city.

Flower Motif Is Dominant

PARIS—(INS)—The flowers that bloom in the spring don't all appear in the lovely French gardens. They're on chic ladies' garments as well.

The designers are using poses for practically everything in the women's line. Flower necklaces are a charming novelty. One designer makes one in white eyelet embroidery to wear with a dark suit and white blouse. Another shows necklaces of pale yellow organdie on a matching gown.

Less curious, but just as beautiful, are the new flower suspenders, "bretelles," the French call 'em, appearing on many of the new evening gowns. They come in tiny roses, flat gardenias and a host of other lovely blooms. Frills too, are edged with flowers, or they come in diagonal garlands on plain satin skirts. Molyneux continues to use two flat roses in the center of an evening scarf and Martail et Armand tie the back of a little georgette bolero with two marble flowers. A white flower in the lapel of the tailleur is often seen.

Very new necklaces not in flowers are made of long-shaped beads with white heads massed into thick ropes. There are also necklaces, and belts made of plaques of hammered silver and worn with both black and white frilly evening gowns.

Beach necklaces come in big balls with painted spots and dots.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Sunday
 May 3, Club girls May day breakfast from 7 to 8:30.
Monday
 P. M.
 2:00—Matrons Volley Ball
 3:00—Matrons Tap Dancing.
 4:00—Plunge.
 4:00—Jackson G. R. Hike.
 6:30—Jr. College Ad. Swim.
 7:30—Physical Ed. Committee.
 7:30—Plunge.
Tuesday
 P. M.
 2:00—Matrons Reducing Gym.
 3:00—Matrons Ad. Swim.
 4:00—College Beg. Swim.
 4:00—Washington G. R. Mother's Day Program.
 6:00—Zenith Club.
 6:30—H. S. Girls Gym.
Wednesday
 P. M.
 4:00—Childrens Tap Dancing.
 4:45—Jr. Tap Dancing.
 6:30—E. G. Tap Dancing.
 6:30—Plunge.
 7:30—Plunge.
Thursday
 A. M.
 9:00—Matrons Swim.
 10:00—Childrens Dancing.
 12 Noon—Jr. College Noon Lunch-con.
 P. M.
 2:00—Matrons Recreational Gym.
 3:00—Matrons Beg. Swim.
 4:00—McKinley G. R.
 4:00—Childrens Int. Swim.
 5:30—Tennis.
 6:30—E. G. Beg. Swim.
 7:30—Plunge.
Friday
 P. M.
 2:00—Matrons Gym.
 3:00—Matrons Plunge.
 4:00—Plunge.
 5:30—Tennis.
 6:30—Plunge.
 7:30—E. G. Beg. Swim.
Saturday
 A. M.
 9:00—Childrens Beg. Gym.
 10:00—Childrens Beg. Swim.
 11:00—Girl Reserve Plunge.
 P. M.
 1:00—Jr. Adv. Gym.
 2:30—Jr. Adv. Swim.
 7:30—Board Meeting.

President Thomas J. Hickey of the American Association offered a cup to the city with the biggest opening day attendance this year.

The Evening Story

NANCY DISCOVERS HER CAREER

By Estelle Callopy Hau
 Tomorrow morning Nancy Hadley was to begin work as a copywriter in the Lane-Forbes Advertising Agency. Confident of an overwhelming talent for writing, she had obtained the job through the influence of David Forbes, the junior partner, and chum of her brother Bob. Nancy really disliked David quite cordially, but as a furtherance to her professional ambitions, she served her purpose very well.

At 9:15 next morning, she reported to Mr. Richard Lane. And as long as she lived she never would forget that day. From the moment Mr. Lane looked up with a brief "good morning," and called her attention to the fact that the office opened at 9 o'clock, until, weary and sick at heart, she closed her desk at 5, she was in a state of continual apprehension.

She certainly did know how to typewrite, but when she was handed eight pages of illegibly scrawled copy at 10 o'clock to be returned in neatly typed pages at 11, it was maddening.

And what on earth was a layout? That tragedy was awaiting her tomorrow. At closing time, Mr. Lane had handed her a typewritten page with the instructions:

"First thing in the morning, Miss Hadley, make up six layouts of this ad, with copy, to go out on the Century."

She had not seen David all day, but when she stopped for Bob that evening, he inquired:

"How did things go, Nancy?"

"Fine, David; I'm going to like it, I'm sure."

The tears were so near the surface that she failed to see her brother and his friend, exchange glances.

Her second day began badly. She was obliged to seek help in the subject of layouts, and she managed to finish the six for the Century, although Mr. Lane had acted as if the job could have been done in fifteen minutes.

David dropped in at noon, but his attitude was impersonal and unsympathetic.

The afternoon was endless, and her work so miserable that she was sure she would be discharged by night, but at 5 o'clock, Mr. Lane left the office with only a curt "good night."

As soon as she had finished dinner that evening, she retired to her room, dead tired. The sacred rites of cold creaming and nail polishing were neglected.

"What's the use," bitterly, "I haven't seen a man down there that looked human, and if there were one, he wouldn't know I existed except as something to make layouts."

The next day being Saturday, the office closed at noon, but Nancy was so far behind in her work that she dared not leave. So far, she had not written a line of copy. She was being "taught the business" with a lot of horrible detail that she never could understand and she was utterly miserable.

"Still working, on such a wonderful day?"

Started to hear David's voice, Nancy forced a smile and replied, "Hello, David; I didn't know you were still here. Yes, I guess being new at this work makes me a little slow, but after today, I'll probably get along better."

Yes, it takes a while to get the hang of things. Why, honey, what's the matter?"

For in spite of her efforts, two big tears had rolled down Nancy's cheeks. In an instant David was at her side and before she realized it she was sobbing out her woes.

"You poor youngster, why didn't you tell me you were having such a hard time? It was my fault letting you into this. Haven't you had enough career, dear? I love you, sweetheart, and I think you would do much better as my wife than a copywriter, anyhow."

"But it was because of you that I wanted to be successful. You and Bob were always talking about women with brains and genius, and you never paid any attention to me."

"Why, honey, you were such a kid that I was waiting for you to grow up, but I'm not going to wait any longer now. I've always been crazy about you, Nancy, and I'm going to marry you before you get any more ideas about careers. Get ready to come home with me, now, and I'll finish this job."

While Nancy was getting ready David penned a note to Mr. Lane: "It worked, old man. She's through and you can congratulate me."

Mr. Lane read the note Monday morning with a grim smile.

"Thank goodness, it did work before she wrecked the whole office," was his comment.

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Colorful Scarf Most Important Of Accessories

By ALICE LANGELEIR

PARIS—(INS)—If Shakespeare came to Paris today, he would be obliged to agree that the "scarf" is the thing.

The scarf appears everywhere and has turned out to be the most important accessory of spring. When the coat is collarless, as it so often is this season, the scarf forms both protection and trimming. The new detachable scarf is often very short and the coat may be worn without it. Half fur and half fabric is used for smart scarves seen at one of the dress-makers of the rue de la Paix; another uses a flat-surfaced fur, but most of them are really much more important than they sound for they are made to be an integral part of the costume itself.

Little fabric caplets, reduced a practically the proportions of a scarf and trimmed with fur, are Worth's specialty this spring. Madame Thomas puts a narrow detachable scarf of red lacy wool mounted on gray astrakhan with coat of the same material. Black satin makes the scarf on Maguet's "Rendez-vous" which has a tunic of white marocain over a tight black skirt.

A deep purple scarf twisted in and out of the draped neckline on a crepe romine frock provides an excellent note of spring color, especially if it is allowed to fall long in the back. Colored scarves are smart with white frocks if the shade is deep and rich. A white scarf lined with a contrasting color is one of the smartest notes. Mirande use it on a lovely white chiffon. The scarf in deep purple and white is draped in cowl lines in the front and falls to the floor in back.

WATCH TIN ROOFS
 Watch your tin roofs. The excessive heat and drought are apt to peel off the paint and open up the seams in the metal. Then when the rain does come it will come right through. Tin roofs need the protection of best grade paint.

The University of Rochester has a new field house with a dirt floor big enough for two infelds.

THIESEN'S

129 W. SECOND STREET MUSCATINE

FINAL CLOSING OUT COATS

Entire stock of Spring Coats which have just been received. Coats with fur collar trimmed or with chic collarless necklines with scarf treatments.

Lot 1—Values to \$15.00... \$ 5.95
 Lot 2—Values to \$19.75... \$ 7.95
 Lot 3—Values to \$25.00... \$ 9.75
 Lot 4—Values to \$35.00... \$15.50
 Sizes from 12 to 60

MILLINERY

Entire Stock 55c
 Values to \$7.50

DRESSES

Dresses for summer in Wash Silks, Shantung, Tub Silks, Georgettes, Chiffons, Soft Crepes. Less than 1/2 price.

Lot 1—Values to \$7.95... \$ 2.98
 Lot 2—Values to \$15.00... \$ 4.95
 Lot 3—Values to \$19.50... \$ 8.75
 Lot 4—Values to \$25.00... \$10.95
 Sizes from 12 to 60

THIESEN'S

129 W. SECOND STREET MUSCATINE

House Dresses

Voiles—Prints—Linen

Pique, percale, swiss and the loveliest of prints in styles that are positively captivating. Sizes 14-54.

55c

Children's Dresses

LOT 1. Sizes 1 to 6. Values to \$1.98... 55c
 LOT 2. Sizes 7 to 14. Values to \$3.98... 79c

Silk Underwear

Rayon Bloomers, regular \$1.25, for... 65c
 Rayon Pajamas, regular \$1.98, for... \$1.00
 Crepe Chemise, regular \$2.98, for... \$1.50
 Crepe Slips, regular \$1.98, for... 98c
 Crepe Gowns, regular \$1.98, for... \$1.00

NICHOLS HIGH SCHOOL CLASS BANQUET HELD

First Commencement Event; Graduation To Be May 21

NICHOLS, Ia.—(Special)—The first activity of the commencement season of the Nichols high school took place Thursday evening when the junior-senior class banquet was held in the Hotel Muscatine. The event was attended by 30 persons.

On May 15 the senior class will present its play, "Mary's Millions," a comedy drama in three highly entertaining acts.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday evening, May 17 by the Rev. E. L. Nickel, of the Christian church. This service will be held in the Methodist church.

Thursday evening, May 21, the commencement exercises for the class of 1931 will be held in the Christian church. Rev. R. W. Merrifield, of the Congregational church, Muscatine, will deliver the address.

Mrs. John Wildman spent Monday in Davenport at the home of her son, Thomas Wildman.

Mrs. L. C. Bullis of Medford, was a recent visitor with her father, J. H. Heiser, and other relatives.

Mrs. Walter Cullins left Monday for a visit with relatives in Gordon, Neb.

Mrs. O. C. McCullough of West Liberty visited relatives here Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sutton drove to Davenport, Monday. Leland McCullough accompanied them.

The Christian Ladies Aid tea was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Morris Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Wm. Shaefer was the assisting hostess.

B. F. Nichols visited in Davenport Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Heizer were business visitors in Muscatine on Thursday.

Mrs. Stephen Brugman and daughter Thelma, went to Davenport Tuesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pothoff.

Mrs. George Chouin is ill with rheumatism at her home southeast of town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Nichols left Tuesday evening for Claremore, Okla.

Mrs. Ethel Ellis and daughter Norma Jean, of Wilton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yehle and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Yehle and daughter, of near Lone Tree, spent Wednesday evening with friends here.

Mrs. John Curtin and Mrs. Ray McCullough visited at the George Brown and Wilmer Halleck homes Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Reynolds are moving from the Rummel's building to the Haddock building, recently vacated by Lloyd Shannon.

Miss Krall of Lone Tree was a recent visitor at the David Lintner home.

VISITORS AT K-TNT

ON MAY 1
John Redinger, Keota, Ia.
Mrs. Lillian Hogan, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Mrs. Gladys Dunkle, Clinton, Kan.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bogard, Galesburg, Ill.
Mrs. Christine Yaris, Miami, Okla.
Hollie E. Cecil, Mt. Hamilton, Ia.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis, Galesburg, Ill.
Mrs. H. Swift, Davenport, Ia.
R. L. Bonn, Davenport, Ia.
Felsa L. Swift, Davenport, Ia.
John Jaques, Council Bluffs, Ia.
Mrs. Jaques, Council Bluffs, Ia.
C. L. Jaques, Iowa City, Ia.
Florence Atkinson, Iowa City, Ia.
J. C. Randall, Iowa City, Ia.
Dorothy Monroe, Williamsburg, Ia.
Flavia Leach, Williamsburg, Ia.
M. O. Jault, Williamsburg, Ia.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clark, Mystic, Ia.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moon, Pleasant Plain, Ia.
Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Foster, Britt, Ia.
Mayron Foster, Britt, Ia.
Mrs. Florence Busby, Riverside, Ia.
John Wilma Krole, Riverside, Ia.
James Austin, Morley, Ia.
Raymond Norton, Morley, Ia.
Eugene Kohl, Westchester, Ia.
ON APRIL 30
W. E. Homers, Ottumwa, Ia.
Mouise Gallinger, Mechanicsville, Colo.
Mrs. Sophia Weiss, Wheatridge, Colo.
Herman Gallinger, Mechanicsville, Ia.
Henry Hopmaster, Marengo, Ia.
Marion Bean, Marengo, Ia.
Mrs. Lillian Bean, Marengo, Ia.
Mrs. Mary Hoffmaster, Marengo, Ia.
Mrs. Daisy Daugherty, North English, Ia.
Netella Wambach, Clarksburg, Ia.
Mrs. Wertz, Bedford, Ia.
Rudolph Scholer, Keokuk, Ia.
M. L. Roche, Keokuk, Ia.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Klavens, Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.
W. T. Clark, Mystic, Ia.
Clarence Clark, Mystic, Ia.
Francis Clark, Mystic, Ia.

BANKER FOUND SHOT
COLUMBUS, Miss.—(INS)—Parker Reeves, president of the Merchants and Farmers' bank, was found shot to death in his office here at dawn today, a pistol clutched in his hand.

ARCADÉ TODAY
HOOT GIBSON
IN
"COULING WILDCATS"
ON THE STAGE:
Chuck-Bozo Wilson
AND HIS
Frisco Follies

'Ten Cents a Dance' Is Different Screen Feature

Sensational Picture Starts at Palace Theater Today

Just when the public begins wishing for screen entertainment with a new plant, some producer comes along and releases a picture that gets away from the beaten track and offers variation in theme, treatment and direction. This time Columbia Pictures has turned the trick, with "Ten Cents a Dance," which features Barbara Stanwyck and is directed by Lionel Barrymore. The photoplay will start Sunday at the Fox Palace theater.

In the story we find a girl of excellent background, compelled by circumstance to seek a living in the dance pavilion, where the dancing hostesses meet all comers for the magnificent stipend of ten cents a dance. Well, take it from Barbara, it's a tough way to make a living. Then there is a young man, handsome, but sort of useless... and there's a love affair, impetuous and interesting and very different. Not to forget a rich man-about-town, who is fond of Barbara. There are complications, like inconvenient marriage... and there are strange situations that will challenge your imagination to equal. Best of all there is a surprise ending. To give more of the story here would take away from the enjoyment of those who are going to see the picture. It is the manner of telling the story which makes this offering refreshingly different.

Lionel Barrymore has obtained new effects in dramatic movement by introducing a sense of progressive rhythm into the action. Each scene flows into the next with smooth timing, like the effortless swinging of a finely balanced pendulum.

This Columbia picture was based upon the popular song "Ten Cents a Dance."

WAPELLO GROUP PLANS BANQUET

Annual W. C. T. U. Fete To Be Held This Friday

WAPELLO, Ia.—(Special)—The annual mother and daughter banquet, sponsored by the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be held May 8 in the local high school dining room. The event is scheduled to commence at 6 p. m. Mrs. F. G. Nelson of Burlington, will be the main speaker of the evening.

The usual services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church today except for a change in the time of the evening services. Preaching service will commence at 8:00 p. m. instead of 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at the usual time 9:30 a. m., morning worship at 10:45 a. m., league at 7:30 p. m., when Miss Minear will be the leader and will show curios from South America.

The Kappa Tau Betas entertained their husbands Thursday evening. Bridge was played at four tables with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Deppey winner of high score and Francis Bucher won the consolation prize. First prize was given to the husband and wife whose total scores were highest. A gallant prize was also given to the one who held eight honors in their hand and received the bid, but it was passed on as soon as another person got the same honors and the one holding it at the close of the evening was permitted to keep it. This was Miss Les Campbell, a special guest. Miss Josephine Barnes was also a special guest. At the close of the evening refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Mrs. Helen Johann, Mrs. Edith Kelley, Mrs. Clara Deppey and Mrs. Celia Lichtenberg.

Mrs. Frank For and Mrs. William Maley and daughter, Bethene, went to Hedrick Friday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Daubenburg, and to attend the class play at their niece and nephew both had a role.

William Vincent of the U. S. Navy now stationed at Newport, Rhode Island, has a month's furlough and has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Vincent, at Toledo, Ia., and is now visiting old Wapello friends and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blake of Letts.

The regular meeting of the Louisa

CRYSTAL Theatre Today

The "Ace" Hit of the Season
Joe E. Brown's
'Going Wild'

Joe plays the part of the bogus aviator. It's simply a zooming riot of airplane thrills—and you won't hear the roar of motors—they're drowned out by gales of laughter.

Also Comedy, Cartoon and News



BARBARA STANWYCK

Bridge-Auction and Contract

By the Authority MILTON C. WORA

♠ 0-3-2	♥ 7-6	♦ 4-3	♣ 10-9-8
♥ 7-6	♦ 4-3	♣ 10-9-8	
♦ 4-3	♣ 10-9-8		
♣ 10-9-8			
♠ 4-3	♥ 8-5	♦ 5-4	♣ 7-6-5
♥ 8-5	♦ 5-4	♣ 7-6-5	
♦ 5-4	♣ 7-6-5		
♣ 7-6-5			
♠ 5-4	♥ 9-8	♦ 6-5	♣ 4-3-2
♥ 9-8	♦ 6-5	♣ 4-3-2	
♦ 6-5	♣ 4-3-2		
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MUSKIES MEET ROCK ISLAND TODAY

TROJANS BEAT STANFORD TEAM ON TWO UPSETS

Stanford Relay Team Hangs Up New Mark For Colleges

PALO ALTO, Cal. (INS)—Southern California's trojans Saturday afternoon defeated Stanford's track team by a score of 69 to 62.

Two upsets scored by the trojans during the afternoon clinched the meet for the Southern California squad. Y. McKenzie scored the first by winning the javelin throw, and Hall did the unexpected when he scored heavily in the weight events.

Victory was not assured the trojans however until the relay had been run off and the results in the discus throw made known.

The bright spot in Stanford's performance came when its relay team established a new world collegiate record of 3 minutes 14.3 seconds to win the event. The former record was set by Stanford at 15.3. The winning team was made up of Shove, Ike Hables, Abe Hables and Eastman.

The Stanford squad scored more points than expected in two events. These were in the 220 yard dash in which Dyer outran Frank Wykoff and in the high hurdles when Smith and Nesbit took first and second, respectively.

Wykoff led all the way in the 100 yard dash. Delby, Trojan sprinter took second in this event and Dyer of Stanford took third. Dyer, in the second sprint, beat Wykoff to the tape, making the brilliant time of 31.3-10 seconds.

GARY HI WINS CLINTON MEET

Little Muskies Rank Second Among Iowa High Schools

CLINTON, Ia. (Special)—Placing in almost every event staged, Froebel High of Gary, Ind., five times national high school track and field champion ran off with honors at the annual Clinton Gateway classic Saturday afternoon. Muskies of Chicago were second with Davenport High third and Maywood, Ill., last year's winner fourth.

Coach Leonard Hunn's Old Gold and Purple third place from Muscatine ranked a second of the Iowa schools with seven points.

Point getters for the Hunnmen were Bob McElroy, fourth in the half mile run and fifth in the mile run; Clifton Nussbaum, fifth in the half mile run; Ray Uley, fifth in the 440 yard dash; and Muscatine placing fifth in the half mile relay.

Records fell in utter abandon at the meet. New marks were hung up in the first ten events.

Henry Canby, Iowa university pole vaulter for the last three years gave an exhibition of pole vaulting but failed to clear 13 feet. His best attempt while attending school was 13 feet 7 inches. Canby hails from Mt. Pleasant, a Little Six school.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	W. L. Pct.	
St. Louis	10-3-.769	
New York	10-4-.714	
Chicago	8-5-.615	
Boston	9-7-.562	
Pittsburgh	8-8-.500	
Philadelphia	5-8-.385	
Brooklyn	4-10-.286	
Cleves	1-11-.093	

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	W. L. Pct.	
Cleveland	10-3-.667	
Chicago	9-6-.600	
Washington	9-7-.562	
New York	8-7-.533	
Detroit	8-8-.500	
Philadelphia	4-10-.286	
Boston	5-8-.385	
St. Louis	3-10-.231	

SATURDAY'S RESULTS
 American League
 Washington, 6; Boston, 2, (first game).
 Boston, 3; Washington, 2, (second game) ten innings.
 Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 1.
 Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 1.
 New York at Philadelphia postponed, rain.

National League
 St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 3.
 Pittsburgh, 11; Cincinnati, 5.
 Boston at New York, both games postponed, wet ground.
 Philadelphia at Brooklyn called off, rain.

TODAY'S GAMES
 National League
 Chicago at St. Louis.
 Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
 Philadelphia at Boston.
 New York at Brooklyn.

American League
 St. Louis at Chicago.
 Cleveland at Detroit.
 Boston at New York.
 Philadelphia at Washington.

48 Entries For 500-Mile Speed Classic May 30

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (INS)—Forty-eight cars had been nominated Saturday for the International 500-mile auto race at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway May 30. But additional entries are expected to be in the speedway man brings the list of cars which will fight for position in the starting line to more than sixty.

Although the nominating lists officially closed at midnight Friday night, speedway executives pointed out that any entry bearing a postmark before that time is acceptable under the rules. Forty cars are permitted to start the race this year.

Outstanding entries in the list are Billy Arnold, 1930 American champion and winner of last year's race; Peter De Paolo, American champion in 1928 and 1929, and Leon Duray.

ROBINS OFF TO BAD BEGINNING WITH FOUR OUT

Wright and Bressler Sick; Thompson and Luque Injured

By JAMES L. KILGALLEN

INS Sports Writer

NEW YORK—Old Man Misfortune rose up and smote the Brooklyn Robins at the get-away of the National League pennant race and before the boys could get their bearings they had dropped a few ball games. However, it is a long way to September and not for a moment did the army of loyal fans of Flatbush lose faith in their deep-rooted belief that Brooklyn is the club that is going to win the pennant.

After making a fine showing in the spring training contest, "Uncle Robbie's" team came north in high spirits and eager for the opening game. It was at this juncture that Mr. Howard Luck himself suddenly stepped into the picture and temporarily put some of Brooklyn's best talent out of commission.

Glen Wright, captain and star shortstop, and Ruben Bressler, veteran utility man, were forced to take to their beds with influenza. Fresno Thompson, Brooklyn's newly acquired second baseman, was unable to play because of a sprained hand.

On the top of this Adolph Luque, a starting pitcher, was also on the sidelines with an injured thumb on his flailing hand.

With Wright and Thompson out of the lineup, Brooklyn had to present a patched up infield, with Mickey Vernon at short and young Flyn at second. The injury to Luque threw the pitching plans of Manager Robinson all askew. The result of all this was that the club went in there against the Braves lacking the confidence they otherwise would have felt.

A little hard luck at the get-away is not worrying the fans, nor the players. It may have been a blessing in disguise because the Brooklyn Muskies, as a result of the acquisition of Lefty O'Doul in the outfield and Thompson at second, were talking themselves into victories that they will have to win on the ball field.

Every student of baseball knows that Brooklyn, with its terrific batting power, looms as one of the most formidable clubs in the league. Most of their hitters are left-handers and, consequently they will see plenty of left handed pitchers out there on the mound against them this year. They are convinced that there will be many days in which the opposition will have a hard time getting the side out. From the lead off man down to the pitcher, the teams packs a real "punch."

Lopez Real Star
 Brooklyn has Alfonso Lopez, a star behind the plate, with the veteran Val Picinich and Ernest Lombardi to take the job on days he needs a rest. Lopez batted 308 last season. At first there is Del Bissonette, who hit 335 last season. Thompson, at second, batted only 282 with the Phillies last year but he is a fielding star. At short is Wright who hit 321 last season. Wallace Gilbert, the third baseman, hit 294 last year but he, too, is a timely hitter like Thompson. He is called "a ball players' player," so good is he on offense and defense. It is the outfield, however, that carries the real batting wallop. Lefty O'Doul in left hit 383 last season. Johnny Frederick in center hit 334 and Babe Herman right hit 393.

And, therefore, it is not at all surprising that the Brooklyn fans are keen for the Robins of 1931 and are convinced they will "come through" this year. The seating capacity of Ebbets Field has been increased to nearly 45,000 but there will be plenty of days this season when the park will not be big enough to handle the crowd.

Tony Canzoneri a Credit to Boxing Game



-TONY CANZONERI- WHO HAS HELD THREE RING TITLES

CUBS EASY FOR CARDINALS, 6-3

'Wild' Bill Hallahan Passes Eight But Fans Five Cubs

ST. LOUIS (INS)—"Wild" Bill Hallahan walked eight Chicago Cub batters Saturday, but the Cardinals won easily 6 to 3 and increased their hold on first place in the National League standing.

Hallahan made up somewhat for the free passes by fanning five opponent players.

The Cardinals got to Charley Root for eight hits. Hack Wilson crashed out his first homer of the season with two on base, accounting for all of the Cub's runs.

Hallahan was given credit for the victory although he was yanked in the ninth in favor of Lindsey, when Chicago threatened. Box score:

Chicago (3)		AB	R	H	P	E
Cuyler, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
English, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
Hornshy, 2b	3	1	1	3	2	0
Wilson, 1b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Stephenson, lf	2	0	0	2	1	0
Hartnett, c	3	0	0	1	1	0
Bel, 3b	4	0	2	3	3	0
Grimm, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blair, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Root, p	3	0	1	1	0	0
A-D Taylor	1	0	0	0	0	0
B-Z Taylor	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lindsey, p	32	7	24	11	0	0

A-Batted for Grimm, 8th.
 B-Batted for Root, 9th.
 St. Louis (6)

St. Louis (6)		AB	R	H	P	E
Adams, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Orsatti, lf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Frisch, 2b	2	1	0	1	6	0
Bottomley, 1b	4	1	2	10	1	0
Watkins, rf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Gelbert, ss	0	1	2	5	0	0
Martin, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
J. Wilson, c	2	2	2	7	0	0
Hallahan, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Lindsey, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	6	8	27	14	0

By Innings:
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 St. Louis.....022 100 10x—6.

Summary: Two-base hits—Bottomley, J. Wilson, Hornshy, Hallahan, Orsatti, Home Run—L. Wilson, Sacrifice hit—Hallahan, Stolen base—Martin. Bases on balls—Off Hallahan, 8; Root, 2. Struck out by—Hallahan, 5; Root, 1. Hit by pitcher—by Root (J. Wilson). Double plays—Bottomley to Gelbert to Bottomley; Stephenson to English; Frisch to Gelbert to Bottomley. Winning pitcher—Hallahan. Umpires—Scott, Quigley & Reardon. Time of game 1:53.

Temple University staged part of its spring football practice on the roof of the Mitten Hall. The roof is of amacite and is just half the size of a regulation gridiron.

Sporting goods manufacturers have made and sold 3,300,000 golf clubs in the last year. Many of these were required by the midget golf craze.



Ray L. Doan of Muscatine, president and manager of the famous long haired and bewhiskered House of David baseball club, was in the Free Press office the other night and told the writer that he expects Grover Cleveland Alexander to win a lot of ball games for him this year. He said the former Chicago Cub and St. Louis Cardinal ace is in great shape and eager to start his comeback trail to the majors. Doan stopped over night at his home here before continuing on his way to Minneapolis to make some bookings for the club. At his request we are printing a letter received by him from the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce.

"Dear Mr. Doan:
 "The Chamber of Commerce and the citizens of Mineral Wells generally, feel indebted to you and the members of the House of David team for establishing your spring training camp in our city. Unquestionably your club as a whole, and Mr. Alexander individually, brought more favorable publicity to Mineral Wells than anything of the kind we have had.

"We state without any hesitancy whatever that it has been a pleasure to deal with you, as manager, and with each member of the team. We do not believe that we have ever seen a cleaner and finer bunch of fellows in baseball.

"Our dealings with you in a business way were satisfactory in every particular, and we are extremely anxious that you come to Mineral Wells for your spring training in 1932.

Cordially yours,
 Chamber of Commerce
 George D. Barber, manager."

One of the reasons Helene Madison is a consistent winner, and breaker of swimming records, is because she would rather swim than do anything else. If a fellow's heart is in his work he does better work. Ball players get big salaries but the real reason they're good is because they like the game they play. Football men are heroes for the same reason. Nearly every fistic champion on record would rather fight than eat. There were two exceptions—Jesse Willard and Gene Tunney. These two were "made" fighters, but neither was ever very popular with the public. This rule of sports holds good in the game of making a living—if a fellow can find a job that he really likes to do like we do ours then he won't know whether it is 3 p. m. or 5 p. m.

The rule that doesn't have its exception is indeed an "exception" and this isn't it: Young Jack Thompson is the third champion to successfully stage a comeback. Others were Stanley Ketchell and Pete Herman. But the main reason that Young Jack won back his title was because he was at all times a better man than Tommy Freeman, who took it away from him last year and kept it several months. Young Jack didn't really lose the first fight—he just didn't fight up to snuff that time and Freeman got the best of the decision. It might really be said that Thompson was a better man the time he lost to Freeman than he was several months later when he beat him. Young Corbett, 3rd, is perhaps the class of the division.

Any team wishing to book games with the Meccas is requested to write L. Mahraun, 1013 Climer street, or phone 612-J.

Members of the team and their positions are: Kenny Huber, catcher; Bud Fabrizius and Sam Hohenadel, pitchers; John Barko, first; Chet Hoeksema, second; Mel Grady, short; Red Mahraun, third; Curly Swisher, right field; Kook, center field; and Fritz Hoeksema, left field. The team will have as utility men, Bud Fairall and Woody Tobias, both infielders.

FAVORITES FOR DERBY BEATEN

Advance Predictions For Kentucky Race Thrown to Winds

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (INS)—Advance predictions for the Kentucky Derby were thrown to the winds here at Churchill Downs Saturday as Inco, Don Leon and Sweep All, favorites for the May 15 classic, failed to come through in the fourth race.

This race, run over six and one-half furlongs, brought ten Kentucky Derby eligibles to the post. Don Leon, one of the favorites, managed to finish third to Pittsburgher and Spanish filly, two lesser Derby lights, which finished first and second, respectively.

Pittsburgher was ridden by Charles Corbett and paid \$26.28 for two dollar mutual tickets.

Owned by the Shady Brook farm of Kentucky, Pittsburgher ran a smashing race, covering the six and a half furlong stretch in 1:17 4-5, missing the track record set by distinction in 1921 by only one fifth of a second.

It is difficult to interpret what the outcome of this race may mean to derby hopes. Inco, which had been training well, was entirely without speed. Sweep All was fading all through the race. Don Leon ran third, but it wasn't much to boast about.

The fifty seventh running of the Clark Handicap, which dates back to 1875, just as do the Kentucky Derby and the Kentucky Oaks, saw the downfall of Tannery, which was just as good a favorite with the Kentuckians as was Inco in the previous race. Tannery started well, but finished a poor sixth. The race was won by Barretto, owned by Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, son of the late Harry Payne Whitney. Barretto galloped across the finish, winner by two lengths. He ran the mile and a sixteenth in 1:44 4-5, paying \$21.56.

Four Sunday School Teams Form League; Kindler to Umpire

Four teams were organized and formed into a Sunday School baseball league Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. A. J. Lindley, physical director of the association, announced. The first game is scheduled for May 11, and will be played on the diamond at Weed park.

The teams entered are United Brethren, Zion Lutheran, First Presbyterian and the Muscatine M. E. Herman Kindler will be the umpire for all games.

Princeton and Harvard Resume Crew Relations

Crew Relations

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (INS)—Princeton resumed rowing relations with Harvard Saturday afternoon, the Tiger freshmen crew rowing over the 1 1/4 mile course on Charles river basin and defeating the Engineers of Massachusetts Institute of technology and the crimson.

The freshmen contest was the first of four races of the triangular regatta.

Taking the lead at the start, and cheered by hundreds of spectators lining both banks of the basin, the Princeton freshmen held the lead to the end at Union Boat club, finishing a foot length ahead of Tech and with Harvard trailing the Engineers.

The times:
 Princeton, 9 minutes, 56 seconds.
 Technology, 9 minutes, 58 seconds.
 Harvard, 10 minutes, 25 seconds.

UNKNOWN FROM OHIO BECOMES HURDLE CHAMP

New Mark by Keller At Ohio Meet Not To Be Official

By H. EARL WILSON

(INS Sports Writer)

COLUMBUS, O. (INS)—Jack Keller, a relatively unknown six-foot bundle of arms and legs from Ohio State university, Saturday became the world's king of the hurdlers.

Clicking off an unofficial world's record over a series of high hurdles in an individual event and duplicating the trick in even better time in a team race which brought Ohio State a world's championship in the shuttle hurdle relay, Keller completely stole the show at the Ohio relays here Saturday.

The sophomore's startling record-breaking almost totally obscured the fact that the Ohio State team took the play away from its guests and captured five first places, and rendered equally insignificant the news that a total of six Ohio relays records took a smacking in Saturday's program.

As though bettering a world's record were not important enough in itself, Keller chose to stage his extraordinary dash against the champion, Lee Sentman of Illinois. Off like a shot, he whizzed over the 120-yard event in 14.3 seconds, one-tenth of a second faster than the ten-year world's record of E. J. Thomson of Dartmouth, and licked Sentman by three or four yards besides.

Overcoming a five-yard lead which his teammates on the Ohio State shuttle hurdle relay squad permitted Michigan State, Keller, another man, promptly ate up the distance and finished the race in 1:01.6, two-tenths of a second faster than the old world's record which an Ohio State team set in 1929.

Record Not Official
 Official timers announced at the conclusion of the race that they had clocked Keller in the astounding time of 13.9 seconds for the last 120 yards, or two-tenths of a second faster than he ran in his race against Sentman two hours before.

The fact that he pushed over one or two hurdles during the first race was expected to rob him of an official world's record. Major John L. Griffith, Big Ten athletic commissioner, doubted whether the mark could be officially recognized except at the Ohio relays for that reason.

Ray Utterbach, Pittsburgh negro broad jumper; Hugh Rhea, sturdy Nebraska dash man, and Sentman set the individual Ohio relays records Saturday.

Sentman's Time Beaten
 Sentman whittled two-tenths of a second off his old 14.8 mark in the hurdles in a morning preliminary, only to see it collapse yesterday afternoon.

Utterbach leaped an even 24 feet for the broad jump record, bettering a mark by Portmess of Northwestern by more than two inches. Rhea put the shot 48 feet 10 inches, nullifying a record of 47 feet 8 3-4 inches established a year ago by Bausch of Kansas.

Illinois' swift relay team set the other University Ohio relays record. Gould, Carrison, Woolsey and Evans chalked up a time of 17:50.6. Indiana held the old mark of 17:52.5, which was placed on the books last spring.

Bob Graham, new golf pro at Schenley Park in Pittsburgh, left a job as bank policeman to start his new work. But he learned his golf in Ireland before coming over in 1922.

Sectional qualifying rounds for the open golf championship will be staged June 8.

LOCALS SET TO PLAY LEAGUERS IN FIRST GAME

Hruska Predicts His Team Will Defeat Valley Club

By IRISH O'LEARY

With every man on the squad in the best of shape and rarin' to get going Jack Hruska's Berkshire Muskies are all set to do battle with the Rock Island Mississippi Valley league club at the South End park this afternoon in the official opening game of Muscatine's baseball season. The game is scheduled to be started promptly at 3 p. m.

Hruska said last night that all of his players are in good shape for a tough game and predicts that the Muskies will beat the invaders. Rock Island finished second in the Valley league race last year and is reported to be stronger this season, but Hruska claims he has players in his lineup that would burn up that circuit and expects to prove it this afternoon.

Following a workout at the park Saturday afternoon Hruska picked the following lineup for this afternoon's game: Faulhaber, ss; Vetter, 2b; McIntyre, lf; Nietzel, rf; Hruska, c; Mahair, cf; Swan, 1b; Pauley or Taylor, 3b; Harrison, Carlson, Bartelt and Lang, p.

According to Hruska the South End field is in better shape than at any time since the days of the old Central Association when it was admitted to be among the best in the middle west.

Considerable work has been done on the grandstand to accommodate the hundreds of fans expected to turn out for the opening game today and 40 box seats will be available for those who desire them.

WASHINGTON IS TENNIS VICTOR

Weis of Junior College Plays Well at Washington

Although Muscatine Junior College lost its initial match of the season, 4-0, to Washington Friday afternoon, Francis Weis, Junior College tennis star, led his opponent, Cline, to a long chase in the singles match when Weis lost one of his sets, 8-6.

There were two sets in this singles match. Cline took the first one, 6-2. Weis showed plenty of fight in the second as they deuced the sixth games. Cline then went ahead for the two advantage games to win, 8-6.

In another singles match of three sets Bob Asthalter of the local college took one of three sets. This set ended 3-6 in Asthalter's favor. The others were 6-2 and 6-4 for Washington.

Phil Kopp and Alva Runyon managed to take one of their sets in the doubles match against Turner and Lytle of Washington. The scores were 6-2, 3-6 and 7-5 for Washington.

In another doubles match Weis and Kenneth Huber lost both sets to Cline and Little of Washington, 6-0 and 6-2.

A singles match between Elmer Ziegler of Junior College and Turner of Washington was rained out. Coach E. A. Lichty accompanied the team to Washington. He said that a return meet will be arranged soon.

LITTLE MUSKY NET MEN LOSE

Houk and Tipton Win Doubles Match in Iowa City Meet

Although it lost its opening season tennis match to Iowa City, 6-1, the Little Muskies defeated that team in a doubles match at Iowa City Saturday morning.

William Houk and Hubert Tipton teamed together to down the Iowa City pair, 2-6, in the first set and 6-4 and 6-3 in the second and rubber, respectively, for a win.

Iowa City took the four singles matches and one of the doubles in easy fashion.

Boyles of Iowa City defeated Houk, 6-3, and 6-2. Chapman won from Marvin Werner, 6-1 and 6-0. Van Anter Zee defeated Tipton, 6-4 and 6-1 and Banion downed Richard Freers, 6-2 and 6-1.

Freers and Werner of Muscatine lost the other doubles match, 6-1 and 6-1.

Golf's player following is increasing 20 per cent a year, according to the sporting goods manufacturers.

Equipose won nine times in its first 17 starts, bringing to its owner \$157,865.

CALIFORNIA WANTS TENNIS PUT BACK IN OLYMPICS

TENNIS CHIEFS WILLING TO BE BACK IN FOLD

They Demand Winner Not Be Recognized World Champion

California, ambitious to make the 1932 Olympic Games the greatest ever, are campaigning to have tennis restored on the program in time for next year's competition.

Tennis formerly was on the Olympic program but was withdrawn years ago because of differences between the International Lawn Tennis Federation and the Olympic authorities.

The tennis body, it is understood, is willing to come back in the fold providing the Olympic body will make some concessions, chief of which is that:

"The holding of the Olympic Games in any one year not to cancel or supersede the holding during that year of any officially recognized lawn tennis championships or competitions, and the Olympic Games not to be regarded as 'championship of the world' in lawn tennis."

Other Minor Points
The tennis body also insists on other points considered minor in comparison with the foregoing. The tennis people want at least one representative on the International Olympic committee; to be permitted to cooperate in the organization of Olympic tennis; and that the definition of an amateur tennis player in the Olympics be that as set forth by the tennis body, and no other.

Prospects are bright for a 'reconciliation' but the time is very short and whether or not the two bodies can be gotten together in time for the Los Angeles games is the big question.

California is taking the initiative and will do all in its power to bring this about.

Fine Team Next Year
If tennis is restored by next year America should have a fine team in the big games. This year's Davis Cup team is made up of youngsters who, notwithstanding their present brilliance, will be much better next year.

And, of course, there is California's own favorite daughter, Helen Wills Moody, for the women's side of the game. No doubt Mrs. Moody's status has something to do with California's eagerness to restore tennis—one of the greatest amateur athletes of the world right on the ground and no place provided for her on the program.

California also has Helen Jacobs, not to be compared with the other Helen, but very good nevertheless.

Many Native Daughters
Should the two Helens get in the Olympics, by means of a reconciliation between tennis and the Olympics, California will have many native daughters in the big games.

Girl athletes of the coast have been very prominent in world competitions the last few years. Of the nineteen girls who went to the 1928 Olympics seven of them were from California.

They were Elta Cartwright and Anne Vrana, sisters; Rayna Wilson, half sister; Maybelle Reichardt, Lillian Copeland and Margery Jenkins, discus throwers; and Marion Holley, high jumper.

Many girls then, too young to make the team are now eligible and will be among the foremost candidates when the tryouts are held next spring.

Champion of Champions
Then up the coast a ways is Helene Madison, the champion of champions when it comes to shattering swimming marks. There has never been a girl like her in swimming annals and she is only seventeen.

After she graduates from high school this summer she intends making her home for a while in Los Angeles and compete for a club there. So while she isn't exactly a native daughter of California she certainly is a native daughter of the coast and will be California's adopted daughter for the time being.

If Mrs. Moody is permitted to compete America's "Big 3" in women's sports likely will be Helen, Miss Madison and Betty Robinson. Betty was winner of the hundred yards in the 1928 Olympics and has improved

so much since that time that she no doubt will be on the team again.

Lacrosse just recently was added to the Olympic program.

Other team games are field hockey and soccer. And the winter games will, of course, include ice hockey.

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Prizes of \$7,500 Will Be Stake for Women Air Racers

CLEVELAND, O.—(INS)—Prizes totaling \$7,500 have been posted as the stake for the free-for-all race for women which will feature the 1931 National Air Races, it was announced here. The air meet will be held from August 29 to September 7.

The event will be five laps over the ten-mile course. Two courses will be used at the races, the other being a five-mile triangle.

Air race officials believe entrants for this race will include Ruth Nichols, Ellnor Smith, Amelia Earhart, Louise M. Thaden, Gladys O'Donnell, Mae Hieslip, Blanche Noyes, Phoebe Omlie, and many others.

The Aerol trophy which formerly has been awarded to the winner of the annual women's air derby, a trans-continental event, will also go to the winner of the free-for-all event, it was stated. The prize money will be divided as follows: \$3,750 for first place; \$2,250 for second place, and \$1,500 for third place. The winner will also be awarded a silver plaque for permanent possession.

LEGION PLANS SPORTS EVENTS Program Being Lined Up for Convention At Detroit

DETROIT, Mich.—(INS)—This city probably will have more sports events concentrated within four days next September than ever before in any familiar period.

The National Convention of the American Legion which is being held here September 21 to 24 is expected to bring 100,000 veterans of the World War here and the sports events will be part of the elaborate program for the soldier guests.

Because many Legionnaires will be here from sections of the country where major league baseball cannot be seen, it is planned to have an American League ball game series at Navin Field, the home of the Tigers.

A 100-mile A. A. automobile race is promised, to be run off at the State Fair Grounds.

The University of Detroit has agreed to play a night football game at its flood-light stadium against an opponent to be picked by the Legion to make this contest one of the outstanding inter-collegiate games of the season.

An elaborate program of boat racing is also promised on the Detroit River.

BOBBY ALL SET FOR EXHIBITION Peer of All Golfers Says He's Through With Tourneys

SAN FRANCISCO—(INS)—Declaring he was "through" with competitive golf, Bobby Jones, the peer of all golfers, Saturday was warming up for his exhibition game over the Lakeside course today with three other outstanding players.

"Tournaments are all work," said Jones. "I am having a lot of fun now. Nothing depends on my play and I am thoroughly enjoying golf for the first time in many years."

Jones will have Leo Diegel, Agua Caliente Pro, for his partner today. They will be pitted against Olin and Mortie Dutra.

Jones the Dutra brothers and Diegel had a practice round at Lakeside Friday. Bobby shot a 74, three over par, as did Mortie Dutra. Olin took a 75 and Diegel carded a 76.

Discussing the new ball, Jones said he thought it aided the ordinary player in taking some strokes from his score, while it perhaps penalized the experts slightly.

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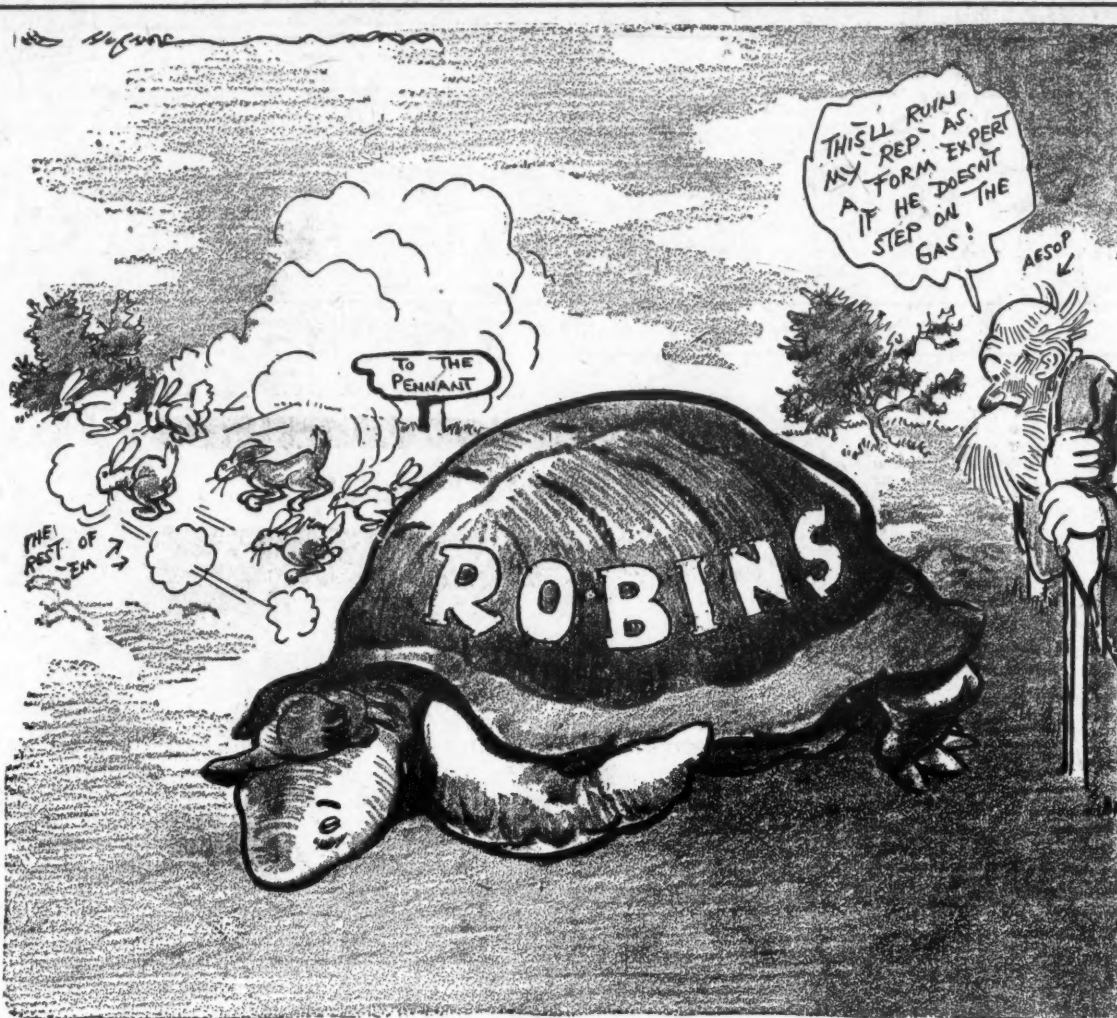
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There's Still Hope For Brooklyn Rogins



FIGHTER QUILTS TO BE OFFICER

'Honeyboy' Finnegan Retires From Ring For Court

BOSTON.—(INS)—Richard G. "Honeyboy" Finnegan, a leading featherweight and junior lightweight boxer of the world for several years, has discarded the gloves for the position of court officer.

Finnegan made it known that he had definitely retired from the ring after being appointed by Sheriff John A. Kelliher. He was assigned to the second session of the Suffolk Superior Court.

Finnegan, known as "Dick" and "Honeyboy," was one of the most colorful fighters this city has produced in many years. While in the Navy at the age of seventeen "Honeyboy" captured several Atlantic fleet titles.

After his term of enlistment had expired in the Navy, Finnegan was managed to great heights by Dan Carroll, who handles Jimmy Maloney, heavyweight of South Boston.

During his ring career Finnegan scored victories over Ted Morgan, Bruce Flowers, Red Chapman, Sammy Fuller and other star boxers.

Finnegan is married and father of a baby girl, Jean Marie. He resides in South Boston.

Training Started By Wellesley Crew

WELLESLEY, Mass.—(INS)—The spring crew season at Wellesley college is on in full swing with more than 150 candidates striving for places on the class eights.

The popularity of the sport is judged by the large number responding to the call of Coach Miss Harriet Clark.

When the water of Lake Waban becomes too rough the candidates take to indoor rowing machines.

After several weeks of practice, there will be class competition after which a crew will be selected.

George Kowalski coached the Pitt freshmen basketball team four years winning 61 out of 68 games.

Jim Jeffries is getting in shape to go on a refereeing tour like the one which netted Jack Dempsey \$200,000.

Joseph Moran, Syracuse University boxer, has a record of fourteen straight knockouts.

The Big Ten track and field championships will be held at Northwestern University, May 22 and 23.

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Griffith Selected Referee, Starter in Indiana Track Meet

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—(INS)—Major John L. Griffith, athletic commissioner of the Big Ten, has been selected as referee and starter for the annual Indiana Inter-collegiate Conference track and field meet that will be held in the Ross-Ade stadium at Purdue University on Saturday afternoon, May 16, it was announced here by Col. N. A. Kellogg, director of athletics.

Preliminary announcements regarding the meet have already been mailed out to the 22 schools that are members of the conference, and judging from the amount of track talent that has already been uncovered in the state, one of the greatest record-breaking performances is anticipated.

The Public Parks Golf Association of Baltimore has applied for the 1933 public links tournament.

Indiana colleges will have a golf tournament at Terre Haute, May 22 and 23.

Loyal Clark will again assist Orville New with the football squad at Virginia Poly.

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DEMPSEY SEEKS BAER OPPONENT

Jack and Associates Plan July 4 Bout At Reno, Nev.

RENO, Nev.—(INS)—Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, and Reno associates are seeking an opponent to meet Max Baer, California heavyweight, in a bout here on July 4.

Baer and his manager, Ancl Hoffman, conferred with Dempsey Friday.

If the proposed bout is lined up it will probably be over the 20 or 25 round route.

Mentioned as opponents for Baer were Jimmy Maloney, Ernie Schaaf, Paulino Uzcudun, Tommy Loughran, Victorio Campolo, King Levinsky and Tuffy Griffith.

According to present plans the bout will be staged in the open at the Reno race track.

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Four Horsemen of Football to Meet At Wedding of One

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—(INS)—The famous four horsemen of Notre Dame are to be reunited at the wedding of "Don" Miller, a member of the quartet, and Miss Mae Lynch, Terre Haute society girl, at St. Mary-of-the-Woods college May 16.

The wedding also will unite the two largest Catholic colleges in Indiana. All the men attendants are to be Notre Dame graduates. The bride and her attendants are graduates of St. Mary-of-the-Woods.

The "horsemen" who will act as ushers for their brother football star of 1924 are Harry Stuhldreher of Philadelphia, Elmer Layden of Pittsburgh, and James Crowley of Lansing, Mich.

The bride and groom will make their home in Cleveland, O., where Miller is combining a law practice with coaching the backfield of the Ohio State university teams.

Bill Tilden made \$4000 in one exhibition match in California. His earnings since turning professional have been enormous.

EARLY SEASON WINS MAY GIVE NEW YORK FLAG

Giants Get Away to Running Start in Pennant Race

NEW YORK.—(INS)—John McGraw's training system and methods probably deserve the credit, but whatever the reason it is but rarely that the Giants fail to get away to a running start in the National League pennant race. This Spring has not been an exception.

The failure of the Robins to play anything resembling top-grade baseball, and the cut-throat nature of the schedule mapped out for the Western contenders, Cardinals, Cubs and Pirates, add to the value of these early season victories, too. Each winning game yields a maximum profit and it is not beyond the realm of possibility that the final September standings will be determined by what has already transpired.

And it is most pleasant to realize that the Giants fully deserve the victories that have rewarded their efforts; they've earned them with workmanlike and efficient play. They have been hitting as a unit, specializing in high scoring innings, and the pitching has been consistently good.

It is too early to render a definite opinion concerning the balanced quality of the New York staff, but with Fitzsimmons and Mitchell in top form, and Walker apparently ready for heavy work, there is no reason at this time to feel any concern.

Usually a slow beginner in the Springtime, Fitzsimmons' early work has been pleasantly surprising, and apparently he is headed for a most successful season. If he can enter five or six victories into

RING VERDICTS

(By INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
At New York—Eddie (Cannonball) Martin, former world's bantamweight champion, and Joey Kaufman, New York lightweight, drew (6).

Arthur De Champlain, New York featherweight, defeated Bobby Dichter, Philadelphia (10).

Benny Britt, Philadelphia featherweight, defeated Jimmy Palumbo, Brooklyn (10).

At Erie, Pa.—Harry Alexander Worcester, Mass., lightweight, defeated Bobby Vogel, Erie, (6).

At Charleston, W. Va.—Holly Allen, Charlestown middleweight, defeated Eddie Dempsey, Philadelphia (10).

At Worcester, Mass.—Lou Brouillard, Worcester middleweight, knocked out Eddie Moore, Bridgeport (2).

At Wilmington, Del.—Eddie Cool, Philadelphia featherweight, defeated Joe Scarfaro, New York (8).

At San Francisco—Young Corbett, Fresno, Cal., welterweight, defeated Tommy Herman, Chicago (10).

the records before the middle of May he should go on to a twenty-game season. Once the hot weather sets in he ranks with the league's most effective mound operators.

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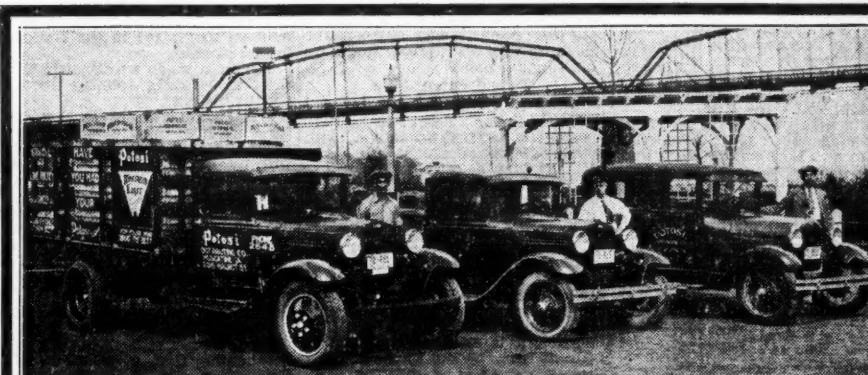
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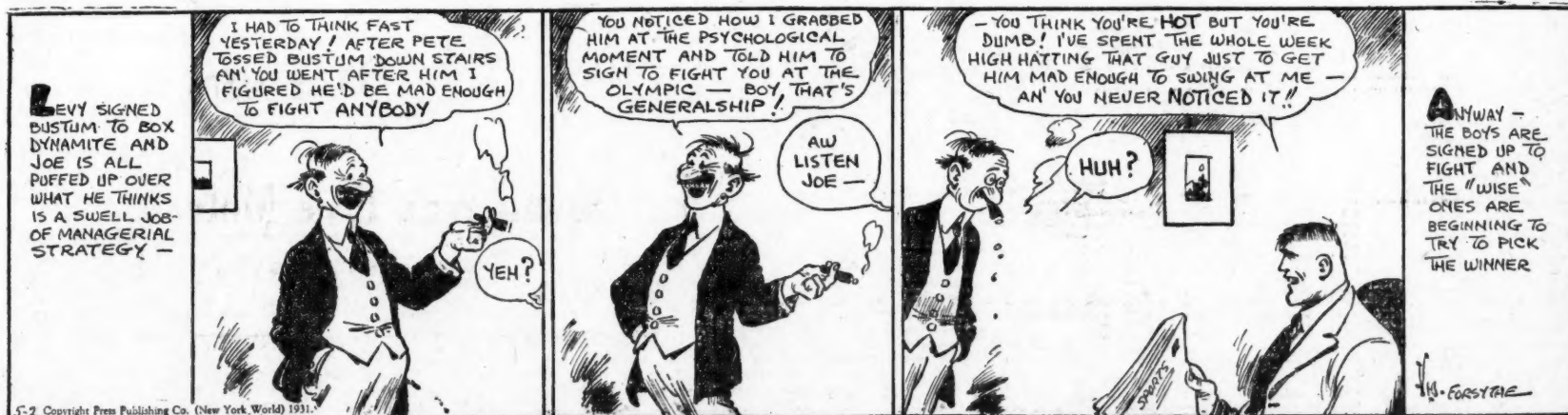
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WINNER OF SHARKEY-CARNERA GO WILL BE "CHAMP"

GOUGH BOXING COMMISSION TO AWARD 'CROWN'

New York Body Takes Final Slap at Max Schmeling

By LES CONKLIN
INS Sports Writer
NEW YORK—Boxing had taken a leaf from the book of wrestling with the announcement of the New York State Athletic commission that it will bestow the title of world's champion upon the winner of the fifteen-round bout between Jack Sharkey and Primo Carnera at Ebbets field, Brooklyn, on June 10.

The existence of two title-holders has revived interest in the wrestling industry during the past year. The crowning of two heavyweight boxing champions may prove to be the tonic needed to drag the leather-pushing business from the doldrums. There will be a tremendous popular clamor for a meeting between the Sharkey-Carnera winner and the survivor of the Max Schmeling-Willie Strickling scrap in Cleveland on July 3.

The New York commission had no alternative in taking this final slap at Schmeling. After winning from Sharkey on a foul last June, the German told the board he would give Jack a return bout in the fall, but Joe Jacobs, the champion's manager, changed his mind. Thoroughly incensed at Joe's subtleties, the commission stripped Schmeling of his title in this state. Nor is it hard to understand the resentment of the New York board toward Madison Square Garden because of its attempt to block the Sharkey-Carnera winner and the title on the ground that Carnera had signed to meet the winner of the Schmeling-Strickling fight under the auspices of its subsidiary, the Madison Square Garden corporation of Illinois. It was for the Garden's benefit that the commission tried to force Schmeling to fight Sharkey a second time. And the board told the Garden months ago it would approve a Sharkey-Carnera bout under Gardner auspices. But William F. Carey, president of the Garden and a man of his word, had told Jacobs he would promote a bout featuring Schmeling, and so the Sharkey-Carnera plum fell into the lap of Jimmy Johnston, promoter of the Dodge A. C.

Boxing men united in expressing the belief that the Garden interests are making a big mistake in going to federal court to make their contract with Carnera stand up. If they lose, which is what many competent legal experts predict will happen, they will have done nothing more than create a tremendous ballyhoo for the Sharkey-Carnera fight.

Art "Wotaman" Shires Owns Up Bragging Just Publicity

COLUMBUS, O.—(INS)—Frequent enthusiastic admissions of self-confidence by "Wotaman" Shires have at last been confessed by Arthur the Great (himself) to be a part of a personal advertising campaign.

The "big 1" man revealed the facts about his own publicity-getting methods during a visit here with the Milwaukee American Association baseball team but listeners noted that even in his confessional he clung to the contention that he is something of a marvel.

Before beginning an explanation of his motives for bragging, Shires told a local luncheon club where he was the chief speaker that there can be no doubt that he will be back in the major leagues next year.

"I'll be back in the big show next season. I was up there with Washington last year, but it was between Joe Judge and me and they kept Joe," he said.

"And now," he added, "they'll have to do the best they can under the circumstances."

A ball player needs publicity and I think I've done a pretty good job at it so far," Shires said.

"Of course I think I'm a good ball player. Who doesn't? You can't play ball without a confidence. I've just got crust enough to say so, that's all."

Shires said his bragadocio has proved profitable since he started using it as a means of advertising himself.

Start to Work on Olympic Swimming Stadium on Coast

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—(INS)—Construction has been started on the Olympic swimming stadium at the Los Angeles coliseum. Olympic swimming, diving and water polo events will be staged in the stadium during the tenth Olympiad between July 30 and August 14, 1932.

It is to be built in accordance with Olympic requirements, 164 feet long and 65 feet wide with a maximum depth of 16 feet 5 inches. Wood and steel diving boards will be provided with a regulation international diving tower. Only filtered and purified water will be used in the tank.

Big Bass Caught By Glass Worker

MARION, Ind.—(INS)—A Marlon glass worker claims the honor of the first big bass catch of 1931 in Indiana. He landed a whopper weighing 9 3/4 pounds in a gravel pit near Sante Fe, west of here. The bass measured 26 inches in length and was 8 inches across the middle. The lucky fisherman who pulled this big finny prize out of the water was George Finn. He used a silver spoon for bait.

MAT RESULTS

(By INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
At New York — Jim London, Greece, defeated Ray Steele, California.
Sander Szabo, Hungary, threw Dick Stahl, Germany.
Dick Shikat, Germany, tossed Omar Mullain, Turkey.
Serge Kalmikoff, Siberia, defeated Wallace Duggit, Canada.
Herbie Freeman, New York, threw Milo Steinberg, Germany.
Jim McMillen, Ill., and Earl McCready, Okla., drew.
John Grandovich, Jugo Slavia, threw Paul Vinski, of New York.
Stanley Stasick, New York, defeated Jose Dominquez, Spain.
Frank Judson, Mich., pinned Demitri Demitroff, Russia.
Carlo Henriquez, Havana, and Harry Morse, Jersey City, drew.
Tony Rocco, Italy, downed George Lasan, New York.
Alphonse Pierotti, Italy, tossed Farmer Nelson, Neb.

CARDS RELEASE 'DIZZY' DEAN

Officials Claim They Have Enough Good Pitchers Now

ST. LOUIS.—(INS)—The National league champion St. Louis Cardinals will have to struggle along for the rest of the season without the aid of Jerome H. "Dizzy" Dean. The Cardinals Saturday released the self-styled pitching find of the century to the Houston Buffs, Texas league farm of the Cardinals.

Dean was brought to St. Louis by the Cardinals after he had made a sensational record with the Buffs and with St. Joseph of the Western association. The 19-year-old youngster, picked up from the sandlots of San Antonio, made a sensational start with St. Joseph by establishing himself as strikeout king of the Western association.

Dean continued his unusual record after being transferred to the Buffs by gaining twenty-five victories as against ten defeats in the minors. He was brought to St. Louis where he pitched the final game of the season against Pittsburgh, holding the Pirates to three hits.

During the winter he boasted that he would win twenty-five or thirty games for the Cardinals, but he proved hard to handle at the spring training camp. Dean has not worked a single league game this year, but he already has drawn his 1931 salary and part of next year's pay from the Cards.

Dean is considered a good prospect by the Cardinal officials, but they say they have more good pitchers than they can use.

Uncomplimentary remarks about his bragging haven't bothered Shires, he said.

"One night after one of my fights I heard people going by the door saying 'Isn't he the big goof!' and 'What a clown!' and stuff like that. I was sitting up in a hotel counting a big stack of bills—my bit."

"Every time I heard a crack about what a sap I was I'd just count off a few more bills and say, 'O yeah!'"

Shires said he was going to be a more serious young fellow now and try diligently to get back into the majors. Marriage, too, has changed him somewhat, he asserted.

"I'm toning down on this nutty stuff," he said. "I married now, you know, and I guess any man don't want to look too much like a clown down there with his wife looking on."

"But don't get the idea that I think I'm smart. I must be dumb to lose the money I did in the stock market."

In a statement he issued soon after he arrived in this city, "Wotaman" invited local fans to "come out to the ball park and watch Shires score 'em."

He said "After I've circled the bases a few times here I'll be down to my best weight."

True to his boast, he was one of the hitting stars on the Milwaukee team during its stay here.

SOUTHPAWS IN MAJOR LEAGUES IN GOOD FORM

Walker of New York Giants Shuts Out Braves, 5-0

By COPELAND C. BURG
INS Sports Writer
NEW YORK.—To be left-handed is to be "right" in major league baseball this season, for never before has the game had so many good southpaws and Bill Walker of the New York Giants Friday was enrolled as one of the chief exponents of the vogue.

He hung up the Giants first shut out win of the season Friday, checking the Boston Braves 5 to 0. Hughie Critz, the infielder traded by Cincinnati, was a big help with a homer and four singles. Terry and Johnny Vergez also clouted for the circuit. George Earnshaw kept the red light against the Yankees and the Philadelphia Athletics slowed up the New Yorkers, 4 to 0. Haas and Cochrane got homers off E. Hughes. Coombs, Reese and Lazzeri made the three hits Earnshaw fielded.

Cards Tame Cubs
The St. Louis Cardinals streaked away in sole possession of the National league lead by throwing back the Chicago Cubs, 6 to 2. Johnson allowed the Bruisers only six hits, one of which was a homer by Harinett. Carroll, hurling for Cincinnati, took the elevator in the eleventh inning, walking Sankey, with the bases full, to score Lloyd Waner with the winning run for Pittsburgh, 5 to 4.

The Brooklyn Robins won two in a row by taking another from the Phillies, 8 to 4. Joe Shauke, a left hander, was the winning pitcher and Lombardi, up from the coast, led the Robins hitters with three safeties.

Tigers Claw Indians
Sullivan, a relief man, halted the American league leaders, Cleveland, 4 to 2. Stone, Detroit left fielder, whaled three hits and scored in a double steal.

Jack Russell kept Washington's ten hits well apart and the Boston Red Sox won over the Senators, 10 to 4.

Vic Frasier, Texas rookie, won the ball game for the Chicago White Sox, 8 to 2. He gave the Browns nine scattered blasts and in the sixth, with the bases filled, he doubled. It was the Alabasters fourth straight triumph and hoisted them to third place. Scores by innings:

American League
At Chicago: R H E
St. Louis 000 001 010—2 9 3
Chicago 100 007 00x—8 10 1
Batteries: St. Louis, Coffman; Stiles, Hebert and Ferrell; Chicago, Frasier and Tate.

At Philadelphia: R H E
New York 000 000 000—0 3 1
Philadelphia 101 020 00x—4 9 0
Batteries: New York, Piggass and Jorgens, Dickey; Philadelphia, Earnshaw and Cochrane.

At Boston: R H E
Washington 101 000 002—4 10 3
Boston 401 000 50x—10 14 0
Batteries: Washington, Crover, Burke, Tauscher and Spencer; Boston, Russell and Connolly.

At Detroit: R H E
Cleveland 000 100 010—2 7 4
Detroit 111 001 00x—4 7 1
Batteries: Cleveland, Harder, Shoffner and Sewell; Detroit, Sullivan and Schang.

National League
At Brooklyn: R H E
Philadelphia 000 120 100—4 9 1
Brooklyn 000 035 00x—8 13 1
Batteries: Philadelphia, Collins, H. Elliott, Schesler and Davis; Brooklyn, Shauke and Lombardi.

At New York: R H E
Boston 000 000 000—0 7 1
New York 002 000 21x—5 11 1
Batteries: Boston, Sherdell, McAfee and Boal; New York, Walker and O'Farrell.

At Pittsburgh: R H E
Cincinnati 001 000 120 00—4 11 1
Pittsburgh 000 120 010 01—5 13 2
Batteries: Cincinnati, Johnson, Frey, Eckert, Carroll and Sukeforth; Pittsburgh, French, Spencer and Phillips.

At St. Louis: R H E
Chicago 011 000 000—2 9 0
St. Louis 002 010 03x—6 9 0
Batteries: Chicago, Smith, Teachout and Hartnett; St. Louis, Johnson, and Mancuso.

Frank Cerny, winner of the Pittsburgh marathon, wore out two pairs of shoes over the rough route, and then threw away the second pair and did the last nine miles barefooted.

Hornsby and Wife Sues for \$15,000

ST. LOUIS.—(INS)—Rogers Hornsby, manager-second baseman of the Chicago Cubs and his wife, Saturday were named defendants in a suit for \$15,000 damages on file in St. Louis county circuit court. The suit was filed by Mrs. Rebecca Winner, a midwife.

Mrs. Winner, in her suit, alleges that she was struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. Hornsby on July 14, 1930. The injuries incapacitated her and prevented her from earning money she formerly earned according to Mrs. Winner's petition.

Joe Judge Resting From an Operation For Appendicitis

BOSTON.—(INS)—Joe Judge, veteran first baseman of the Washington Senators, Saturday was reported as "sleeping very well and resting comfortably" at Peter Bent Brigham hospital, where he was taken from the baseball field Friday and operated on for appendicitis.

It was expected that Judge would be out of the Senators lineup for several weeks.

Judge was forced to quit the Senators-Red Sox game Friday in the sixth inning. Taken to the hospital, his condition was pronounced serious, and he was operated on. Jordan was called in to take Judge's place at first base, and a hurry call was sent to Baltimore for Joe Kuhel.

Ruth May Be Back In Outfield Today

NEW YORK.—(INS)—Babe Ruth may take his place in the outfield for the Yankees this afternoon at the stadium, when the Boston Red Sox come to town.

According to the latest bulletin from the sickroom of the homerun king, he is pronounced fit enough to return to baseball.

Mel Remus, second sacker, was lost to the Northwestern team at the start of the season, because of an appendicitis operation.

Watch Offered for Outstanding Frosh Griddier at Purdue

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—(INS)—An annual award of a handsome watch suitably engraved will be made to the freshman football candidate at Purdue University who shows the most improvement, or development, during spring practice, it was announced here. The award, to be known as the Purdue Freshman Football Merit Trophy, will be made by the General Alumni Association of Purdue University.

The judges will take into consideration not only the improvement and development shown during spring practice, but also the mental attitude and scholastic rating of each candidate.

There were 13,000 midget golf courses in the United States last season and it is expected the number will reach 20,000 this year.

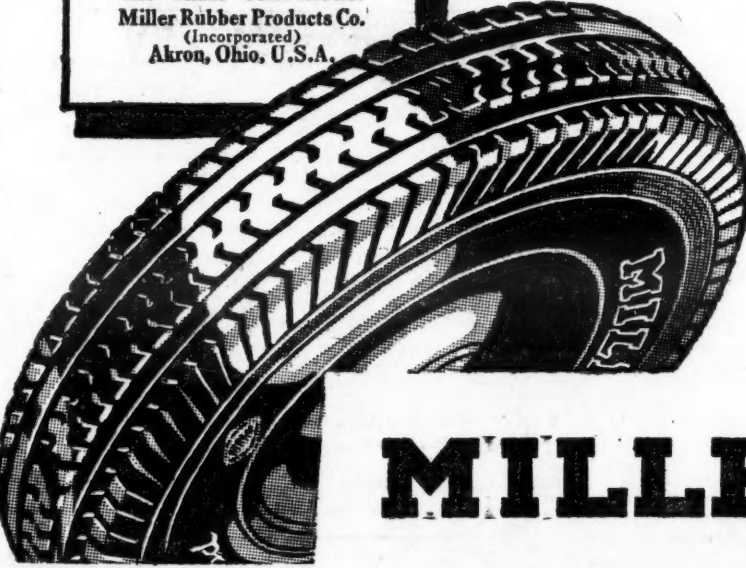
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MORNING SUN GRADE PUPILS PLAN PROGRAM

Art Exhibit, Musical Numbers Will Be Given Tuesday

MORNING SUN, Ia.—(Special)—Pupils of the grade school will present an art exhibit and program at the grade building on May 3. Miss Constance Peirce, director of music in the school will give a short musical recital at 2:15 p. m. at the close of which the following program will be carried out:

First grade, "My Doll," Lullaby, "The Do Family," and a dance; second grade, Dutch dance, Jane Selzer, "Six Little Pigs," "Polka-wags," dance; third grade, "Lullaby," "Pop Corn Man," song by Jack Carmen; fourth grade, "The Crickets," "Whispering Leaves," piano solo by Betty Mae Morrison; fifth grade, "Nature Colors," "The Echo," "Vesper Sparrows," "The Bells," fifth and sixth grade, "Dreams to Sell," sixth grade, "The Clang of the Forge," "All Through the Night," "The Twinkle Fairies," "Sweet and Low," music by the grade school orchestra.

The Juveniles of the Royal Neighbors met Saturday in the Woodman hall. A special "Mothers Day" program was a feature of the afternoon.

Mrs. and Mrs. Millard Green, Miss May Green, Mrs. D. McCann, of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Jay Rich, of Des Moines; Mrs. Albin Davis, of Mediapolis; William Okell, Iowa City; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dotson; Mrs. David Dotson, of Wapello; Mrs. and Mrs. Luke Carlson, of Winfield and Mr. and Mrs. Walter De Witt, of Olds, were here to attend the funeral services for Frank Okell, Wednesday.

Miss Margaretta Butler, student at Grinnell college, will spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Butler.

The monthly meeting of Morning Sun township Farm Bureau will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hensel, Tuesday evening, Oscar Carlson is the chairman.

Miss Clara Robertson, student at the University of Iowa at Iowa City arrived home Friday evening, for a week-end visit with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Robertson.

Mrs. C. T. Olmstead, of Davenport, spent the past week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Cunningham. Mr. Olmstead will motor down Saturday, and Mrs. Olmstead will return with him to Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler, and daughter of West Liberty, spent the past week with Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boal southeast of Iowa.

Chester Corner, of Monmouth, Ill. gave an illustrated talk on "Lincoln" in the high school assembly at 1:00 p. m. Thursday.

The Honey Creek Farm Bureau women met at the home of Mrs. T. S. Hewitt, Thursday with 15 members present. Mrs. Leah Peterson gave the lesson on "Sweet Peas." The hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Louis Wheeler of Mediapolis and Mrs. Luther Andrews of this place were guests.

Mrs. James McKown, north of town was taken to a Burlington hospital at an early hour Friday morning and was operated on for appendicitis. Her condition is serious.

There were 30 per cent at the all day quilting and card party at the Royal Neighbors, held in the Woodman hall Thursday. A covered dish luncheon was served cafeteria style at the noon hour. The following ladies served: Mrs. Dolly Kerr, Mrs. and Mrs. Harlan, Mrs. Belle Walker, Mrs. Sue Wright, and Mrs. Maggie Krueger. Special guests were: Mrs. Irene Delzell, Mrs. Raymond Holch, Mrs. Gladys Kerr, Mrs. Charles Keller, and Mrs. Marshall of Winfield.

Panama Government Will Settle U. S. Citizens' Claims

DES MOINES.—(INS)—Governor Dan Turner has received a communication from the Department of State at Washington, W. C. advising that provisions have been made for the settlement of American claims against the government of Panama. It is suggested that citizens of Iowa who have such claims, should make immediate arrangements to see that their matters can be presented to the State department of the Federal government. A claims convention has been concluded with the Government of Panama the pamphlet advises, providing for a Mixed Claims commission to finally pass upon and finally adjudicate all claims of American citizens against the Central American republic.

Washington

WASHINGTON, Ia.—(Special)—Miss Edna McCarty, Y. W. C. A. secretary at Kalamazoo, Mich., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McCarty, and sister, Miss Hazel McCarty, here. She is attending a Y. W. C. A. conference in Chicago this week. Miss Edna Mercer, of the high school faculty, and president of the Business and Professional Women's club here, purchased a new Chevrolet coupe while at her home in Des Moines.

Mrs. Hazel Stewart Alberson arrived in Washington recently, having driven through from Asheville, N. C. where she has been teaching. She is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Stewart. Owing to financial depression and failure of banks, the teachers there have not been receiving their pay checks, she reports.

Tom Shilling is painting Mrs. John Williams' home on South Marion avenue.

Will Muscatine Grasp This Opportunity?

Very few citizens fully realize the possibility of making Muscatine the greatest city in the entire world, with greatly increased population, a large building program all which means greatly increased valuation of all properties.

The average city is contented to go along year after year endeavoring in a feeble way by the old stereotyped method of inducing industries to come to their city, and there is no question but that many of our citizens are eager to accomplish these great things, but fail for reasons that new industries cannot be easily induced to give up their holdings in their present location and come to a strange city. If same is accomplished, it means the payment of large sums and the granting of special privileges or concessions that do not always work out properly.

Muscatine perhaps right now has an opportunity, if she grasps it, that no other city has, and in case some other city sees this opportunity, which exists right in our city limits, and seizes this new enterprise, Muscatine will surely regret it with in a few years when they realize what has passed through our fingers.

No one can better explain this than Mr. L. E. Peck, of Wyoming, Ia., who was a visitor in our city recently. The outsiders are the people who see these things, who realize the great possibilities, while we, like the fellow who walked over the gold mine in his back yard to the hills beyond, miss it.

Rochester's Growth
Rochester, Minn., a comparatively few years ago was a little town of but few thousand population; today it is rapidly growing towards the 50,000 mark. What made it? A local doctor started a hospital, made good and today the doctors from all over the world pay tribute to them.

The little town, out of date and backward as it was, sprang into the limelight, and today is known by almost every person who has ever seriously ill.

There are hundreds of people who have gone to Rochester for treatment, who underwent operations at a great expense, only to be told that nothing could be done for them, and they were sent home to die. Many went home and died, others came to the Baker hospital, and were cured. The significance of this is that here in Muscatine exists a hospital that cures ailments that the great hospitals with world-wide reputations turn down as incurable.

It does not require a strong imagination to see that if Rochester can grow from a few thousand to nearly 50,000 by having a medical institution that possibly can do no more than any other ordinary good institution can do, that a place like the Baker hospital at Muscatine, where ailments are cured and successfully treated, after others have pronounced them as incurable, that such a place should be able to more rapidly increase the population of Muscatine, far in excess of that of Rochester, Minn., and make our city known throughout the world.

Cancer is Curable
Last year Mr. Norman Baker, owner of the Baker hospital in our city, announced to the world the results of the investigation made by his committee from his TMT magazine, one of his publications, that cancer was curable. No one would interest themselves in it, he was called a faker, charlatan and quack, newspapers branded him throughout the world as such, still in spite of it all he plugged ahead until at one time nearly 600 patients were in this city, coming from all over the United States and Canada. That means that with the average of about five relatives and friends coming to Muscatine each week to visit the patients that a floating population of nearly 3,000 people walked our streets. If the hospital had had the co-operation of the citizens in Muscatine, who rightly could and should have rebuked the local doctors who fought this great humanitarian enterprise, and rebuked the newspapers in this vicinity who tried to destroy and discredit the work of the institution, Muscatine today would have had in case those who opposed would have given co-operation to the same extent, a floating population of at least 50,000 visitors weekly to visit the 10,000 patients who would have been here by now.

That is the opportunity Muscatine missed, the opportunity that was taken from her by those of our citizens who through jealousy of Norman Baker because he may have made some money, while starting as a local boy without outside help and able to forge ahead against great odds.

Not Yet Lost To Us
This opportunity is not lost to us, it still exists right here in our midst with outside persons catering for it, while we remain asleep, hypnotized by the vicious efforts and propaganda of a few doctors and a local newspaper working overtime to rob us of one of the greatest opportunities Muscatine has ever had and ever will have again for a century. Mr. Baker, last year agreed in consideration for a minor concession from our city, to start immediate construction of a new building on his Park Avenue property of 9 acres known as the old Bennett property, which would have meant a one million dollar hospital for Muscatine over a 5-year building period.

Of course that opportunity is gone, Mr. Baker would be foolish indeed to spend his savings in such a large building project with the citizens not behind it, nor does he have to, and in fact if he took the route of resistance he would retire, forgetting all about suffering humanity, but that is not his makeup. The writer of this article has been in your midst for only about three months as editor of this paper, and during that time I have learned of this unusual opportunity Muscatine has had, and only wish that my home town had the same opportunity today. Muscatine should awaken to the situation, even as it is today with hundreds of patients here now, surely co-operation may be able to bring back the lost opportunity because of the fact that the hospital is still here, many, many patients here, many going home cured, others greatly benefited, and no one knows this better than Mr. L. E. Peck of

Wyoming, Ia., who has now left our city and leaves this letter proving an unusual case:

Here is the Proof
Baker Hospital,
Muscatine, Ia.

Dear Mr. Baker:—
My trouble started five years ago when I had my tonsils taken out. A doctor in a Monticello hospital took them out and he told me I had a malignant growth inside my windpipe. It did not bother me much at that time, but as time went on my throat began to fill up and get terribly sore—so sore that I could not even swallow a crust of bread. I suffered everything; it was far worse than any case of tonsillitis, and I didn't know what I was going to do. Last December I accidentally got a peanut down my windpipe and from that time on I was unable to speak a word out loud.

I went to a doctor at Cedar Rapids, a throat specialist who treated me every other day for about three weeks by swabbing my throat. Finally he came out and told me that I had better do something for myself for he couldn't do a thing for me. Then I went to a doctor at Monmouth, Ia., who told me I had a malignant growth on my windpipe but could do nothing for me except to say that the cure means death.

Finally, I came to the Baker hospital, unable to speak a word, and having been sick in bed almost the whole time since last December. I remained there under treatment for four weeks, and left the Baker hospital absolutely cured. I have been at home doing my work ever since and dropped back to the hospital recently for a visit. I neglected to state that my trouble was diagnosed as cancer of the windpipe and throat. I am the picture of health, feel perfectly splendid, and I am frank in saying that this cure means more than a million dollars to me.

The Baker hospital has done much for me; it is doing just as much for others, and I sincerely hope that it may continue to do that work for years to come.

L. E. Peck,
Wyoming, Ia.

Why Not Investigate
Is there anyone in our city, who after reading Mr. Peck's letter will doubt that Muscatine can be made one of the leading medical cities of the world? To do it is easy, quit following those who tear down and destroy our community, disbelieve the propaganda of their agents who infect every civic club as agitators or who lay in wait to seize someone in the back and have only their own selfish interests at heart.

The community will only grow in proportion to our broadmindedness and no one can doubt but what the majority have been followers of a false leader without vision. STOP. LOOK. LISTEN if you want growth, and for this backward slide we have only to thank two local doctors and a publisher who should be ashamed

HIGH SCHOOLS OF IOWA WILL GRADUATE MANY

Approximately 24,428 Students Will Be Given Diplomas

DES MOINES.—(INS)—Approximately 24,428 boys and girls will graduate from the 940 first class high schools in Iowa this spring, according to figures released today by Miss Agnes Samuelson, state superintendent of Public Instruction. Although no definite figures are available for the graduating class this year the approximate total is arrived at by assuming that the senior class of this year is practically the same as the junior class of last year. It is then figured that approximately 93 per cent of this total will receive their diplomas.

Statistics show that about 93 per cent of the senior class of the previous year went on to graduate. Last year 21,011 graduated out of a number of 22,641 who were enrolled in the graduating group.

Based on the number of pupils in the seventh grade last year, more than 48,047 grade school children are in the eighth grade this term. Estimating on the basis of the percentage of the eighth graders that graduated last year, which was 77 per cent of the enrollment, about 36,960 will be eligible to continue into senior high school.

From figures available in the office of the department of public instruction, the freshman class in high school this term is apparently smaller than last year for only 35,926 pupils finished the eighth grade while 36,919 were in the freshman class last term.

to face fellow citizens as they walk the streets of our city, and who owe to every Muscatine citizen an apology, or an investigation of the cancer cures that have been claimed by the institution they set about to destroy. We for one shall continue to believe such persons as Mr. Peck until the knackers prove their statements. We believe that a joint effort of every civic club together with the material association for a local investigation should be made same to be placed before our Governor whether it is for or against the Baker hospital. Every member of these associations owe that effort to their community and it will do much to prove that they are not led and dominated by a few whose influence they may fear.

In co-operation this paper, even though Mr. Baker is a stockholder, promises an accurate and truthful review of the findings of any investigation committee and work with vim to either close the Hospital or endorse it as the evidence may require.

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Tread Thickness	.390 In.	.343 In.	.338 In.	.347 In.
Thickness of Tire	.625 In.	.593 In.	.558 In.	.590 In.
Width	4.713 In.	4.747 In.	4.766 In.	4.743 In.
Strength of Carcass	1714 lbs.	1655 lbs.	1256 lbs.	1418 lbs.
Strength of Tread Stock	4170 lbs.	3490 lbs.	3160 lbs.	4165 lbs.
Outside Diameter	30.765 In.	30.765 In.	30.766 In.	30.444 In.
Squeezes	1	0	0	0
(List Price)	\$5.15	\$5.69	\$5.69	\$5.65

I have personally examined the specifications of the four tires described above and hereby certify that I know these specifications to be exact, accurate and devoid of prejudice.

President, MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of April, 1931 at Chicago, Ill.

Notary Public

WEIGHT AS A MEASURE OF TIRE QUALITY IS NOT INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE FOR TWO REASONS:

- 1st, Because no two tires of the same brand and size weigh exactly alike, and
- 2nd, Because quality of rubber and cotton fabric used, rather than the compound weight after being mixed with other ingredients is the determining factor. Reclaimed or second hand rubber weighs more than new rubber. Tires containing a large percentage of second hand rubber, therefore, weigh more than those made entirely of new rubber—even though the tires are exactly alike in size—so "Weight as a standard by which to measure tire quality MEANS NOTHING."

The TRAIL BLAZER is Ward's second quality tire. We frankly admit it. But—certain manufacturers and dealers, jealous of Ward's deserved preeminence in the tire industry, are making and publishing misleading statements about Ward's tires. They give specifications which are NOT those of Ward's tires; and they then compare the prices of their second quality tires with those of our first quality tires—the famous Riversides. The table above shows accurately the manner in which TRAIL BLAZERS compare in quality and in price with other well known makes.

These other misleading advertisements (and if they are not intended to deliberately fool tire consumers, what IS their purpose?) also say that "Mail Order Tires are made by some unknown manufacturer..." Well, Ward's tires are made by one of the largest tire companies in the world; a company that has always been famous for the fine quality of its products!

Here, therefore, is the correct story about Ward's TRAIL BLAZERS: They are every bit as good as other second quality tires (better than most, as the chart above will indicate) but they sell for less. Like all of Ward's tires, TRAIL BLAZERS are sold with an absolute guarantee of satisfactory service without limit as to time or mileage. If you do not need Riverside quality buy Trail Blazers—and save more money!



COMPARE

SIZE	WARD'S Trail Blazer	Firestone Oldfield	Goodyear Pathfinder	Goodrich Cavalier
29x4.40/21	\$4.55	\$4.98		
30x4.50/21	5.15	5.69		
28x4.75/19	5.95	6.65		
29x5.00/19	6.30	6.98		

Not all sizes have been listed—but enough to give an idea of how prices compare. And by the way, Ward's prices are even LESS when you buy in PAIRS!

Free Mounting Service At Every Ward Store
Ward's Always Sells for Less

No Montgomery Ward tire advertisement is complete without mentioning Ward's first quality Riversides. Riverside tires are one of the best known brands in America. They have been sold for 19 years. They, too, are made by the same large tire manufacturer mentioned above. They are the finest quality it is possible to produce. They are backed by the most liberal tire guarantee ever written. And they sell for less than any first quality nationally advertised tire on the market! These sound like sensational claims. But Montgomery Ward & Co.—one of the largest and oldest merchandising institutions in the world—now in its 60th year in business—the originators of the "Satisfaction Guaranteed or your Money Back" guarantee—stands back of every claim made in this advertisement.

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

117-121 W. Second St.

Phone 336

Muscatine, Iowa

Beautify and Mo

Looking Into the Future



is free for the asking of such active paint stores and you find mentioned on this page below.

The lumber companies as mentioned below will serve you with booklets showing just how to build simple things such as flower and shrub runners, rail and holders, lawn seats and how to patch the home or build a sun porch. These things are easy to build, or a handyman can be secured and build them cheaply in their spare time. Why not see them and tell them what you would like to do and let them give you some valuable suggestions.

The Nurseries have vast information for you, cheerfully they will advise you the proper plant, flower, shrub or tree to use. Tell you which is the quick growing tree, the everblooming flower, the plants that you must take inside each year and the ones that will stand the outside both winter and summer. The proper shrubbery for the background and the foreground—the walk hedge, the pretty curves and landscape designs. All of this information, that required years to secure, is yours for the asking, their co-operation is freely given.

When in doubt of these things, don't guess, go to the specialist and let them work with you. Muscatine has just such men, men who have been in business here for years, men who want to sell you over and over again consequently they handle only the best in their line in order to bring repeat business. There are tricks in every trade, but reliable merchants detest trickery, and nothing but reliable merchants are permitted to use the columns of the Free Press.

Do not feel that you are not welcome to go to the merchants whose advertisement appear on this paper, for advice, thinking that you are not welcome unless you buy something—they are pleased to see you, they want to know you, that time is yours, and they feel that if they can give you service today, you will eventually become a good customer in the future.

For instance, you may want a special color the same as I am looking for at this moment—I want a particular color of my automobile and I could not find it—the paint store put me in touch with the firm that makes a specialty of that work, I found it and now I am happy. You may need a special color for your bedroom, the outside of your home, you may want something different and the paint man can tell you how to mix the colors to get any tint in the rainbow. He can tell you the colors to use inside where colors fade and colors for outside where sun fades them. All of this information, if you will spend a few minutes to visit them and secure it, will save you much and form a combination you will appreciate.

Perhaps you want a bench for the lawn, something different than you can buy. The lumber dealers know just your wants, the associations of lumber dealers send them booklets of designs and no doubt the very thing you want is pictures in all its beauty in their design booklets.

The florist and nursery can tell you more about flowers and shrub-

bery in five minutes than you can pick out of catalogues in a whole day. They know their line and if you want to form a fish pool, a stone pond, or any artistic formation, they can show it to you generally in pictures and sell you the things needed.

Let's all get together and see how pretty we can paint, clean up and plan our property. You do it to your home and your neighbor will get the habit and do it also. All it takes is someone to start the ball rolling so LET'S GO—read the advertisements on this page, go see them and start fixing things up next week.

NORMAN BAKER

Bathroom Costs Less Than the Other Rooms

The bathroom is unique among all the rooms in the house in that it is the one room that is almost completely furnished when a family moves into a new home.

None of the other rooms are ready for occupancy until rugs or carpets are purchased, pictures hung, and furniture placed.

But except for arranging the towels, hanging the shades and curtains, and putting the family medicines into the cabinet, the bathroom is ready when the plumber and decorator finish their work.

Few people think of the bathroom in this way. Yet it is true that one might select plumbing fixtures and accessories of excellent quality for the bathroom and still the cost of furnishing this room would be far below that of the living room, master bedroom, or dining room.

This is a point to keep in mind in selecting fixtures for a bathroom in a new house or a bathroom that is being modernized. It pays to select fixtures of good quality, not only because, like furniture, the family is going to live with them for a number of years, but also because the best is, in the long run, the cheapest.

Style, too, is a factor to be kept in mind. Years ago plumbing fixtures were bought for utility alone. Today, however, style, design, and color are important elements in the selection of plumbing fixtures.

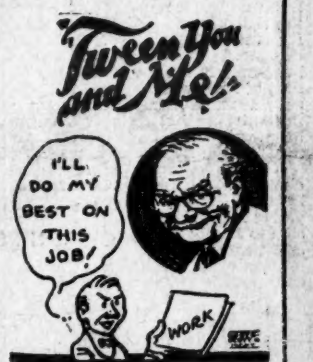
All plumbing fixtures are available in a variety of colors. The purchaser also has the choice of chromium or nickel plated fittings, although today chromium is preferred in all of the better installations.

Lumber Is Big Asset in Building Homes

Lumber is America's only renewable natural resource. It is the material that we may use freely, avoiding useless waste, of course, with the assurance that nature will replace it. Lumber is the one material that we cannot disassociate from domestic building; somewhere in our homes we are certain to find it. It shuts out the encroaching world, and every room that we enter offers tribute to the versatility of wood, for there we have good surfaces, doors, moldings, mantels and even the furniture. Looking behind the plastered walls and ceiling we will find wood in lath and joist.

Not only would the building of small homes be seriously slowed up were we to have a dearth of lumber, but the modernizing of all old buildings would cease, at least temporarily. So we find man's inherent attachment to lumber demonstrated first in his love of the living tree and later in the wood produced from it and incorporated in his home.

Consumption of butter has been heavy in the United States, Canada and Great Britain. Foreign demand from Germany, continues comparatively weak. In practically all the important Cheddar cheese markets, the lighter consumption of cheese has resulted in comparatively heavier stocks of cheese than of butter.



Dad says:

The only man who is happy in his work is the man who puts his best into every job.

We guarantee every job—we're equipped to render an A-1 service. Let us handle your sheet metal work.

AITKEN'S
SHEET METAL
PHONE 203-W
220 WALNUT ST.

VISUALIZING a community of HOMES

WHEN you choose the home in which you want to spend many years . . . in which your children will be raised . . . you want more than a mere structure. Choose a home in Muscatine where every home is part of a planned, ideal community where educational, religious, amusement and business centers are accessible to everyone—and where living is most inexpensive.

This advertisement is dedicated to the Muscatine Chamber of Commerce and made possible by the

McKee Feed & Grain Co.
500 E. Second St. Phone 284

Imaginative writers such as H. G. Wells depict the city of the future as a sunless, roofed-in metropolis with human beings living in compact dwellings, tier on tier, like prisoners in a state prison.

Very efficient. But somehow not attractive. We people of 1931 thrive on sunlight, on fresh air, on elbow space. We like a patch of Mother Earth that we can call our own, a little structure basking in the light of the sun that we can call home. . . . To those who prefer the sensation of dwelling beneath their own roofs, who appreciate privacy, who like a garden or lawn to grub in happily, we recommend A HOME OF YOUR OWN. . . . It's a charming idea, an idea that

makes for domestic happiness. And incidentally an idea which is commercially sound. . . . A purchase of a home of your own is a good investment. But most of all it's an investment in human contentment — an investment that will pay dividends in delight for the decades to come.

Beautify and Modernize
We are judged by the first impression—you enter a city through the railway yards and manufacturing section and generally your impression is bad, and forever as a visitor you form a lasting impression of likes and dislikes, mostly dislikes when your entrance is not clean, fresh and landscaped.

The same is true of your home, your lot and your neighbors lot. For a few dollars, just the amount you would spend for some foolish thing, you can do wonders to improve the appearance of your home and home surroundings.

Not only does this improvement make your own property prefer, but it automatically increases your valuation. It is possible to plant a few needed shrubs and flowers and trees, and clean up around the place the old eye sores, rubbish and piles of junk and some one of the thousands of passersby will see it, admire it and want to buy.

A lot of these little things are merely put off because ones mind is confused—they would like to do it, but fear making a mistake as to the proper thing to do in selecting the right shrub or tree or flower for the right place—or selecting the proper color blend of paint.

In every city, in this city, we have live energetic and wide awake specialists who have studied just the things you want to know. They have spent their life time, it has been a hobby with them to know just what is needed for the right place. You can consult these specialists and they will cheerfully advise you, suggest and talk things over making it minutes well spent.

These specialists do not charge for such work, they are glad to help you in your wants, they are prepared to sell you the finest paints, lumber, brickbraces, appliances, lights, shrubbery and flowers.

Their service induces suggestions from the world's best specialists in their particular lines. The paint store constantly received color cards, paint suggestions, color blends, sample homes in actual colors, instructions for painting, free distribution of instructions of how to paint, so you can do the work yourself. How to mix paint, and such information

you will appreciate. Perhaps you want a bench for the lawn, something different than you can buy. The lumber dealers know just your wants, the associations of lumber dealers send them booklets of designs and no doubt the very thing you want is pictures in all its beauty in their design booklets.

The florist and nursery can tell you more about flowers and shrub-

MAY DAYS ARE BUILDING DAYS



MAKE your decision now. If you intend to build, this is the ideal time to start. Let's get together on your plans: allow us to submit estimates and lend our counsel. Whether you want a barn or a bungalow, a flat building or factory, we would be pleased to furnish you Free Estimates.

For the benefit of our clients we offer free of charge the use of blue-prints in our files covering virtually every sort of structure. This saves you the expense of an architect's fee.

Muscatine Lumber & Coal Co.
930 East Second Street Phone 60

Just as Modern and Efficient, more yet It costs Far Less

SELECT AN



REFRIGERATOR

SAFE
SILENT

SURE
SAVING

PURITAN Ice Co.

205 GREEN ST.

PHONE 999

THE WELL-INFORMED CHOOSE ICE REFRIGERATION

Modernize Your Home!

Cottage Type Stucco Bungalow Is Attractive and Comfortable

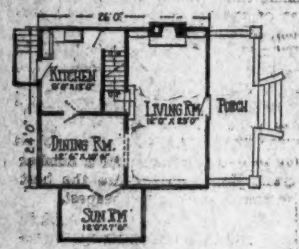


This bungalow is a combination of stucco with a tile roof. The contrast between the stucco and the tile roof is very attractive. This bungalow contains five rooms, all of them of good size. How these rooms are arranged and the size of each are shown on the floor plan. This is a very excellent design for a family that wants an unusual bungalow home.

By W. A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF CHARGE on all subjects pertaining to practical home building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 407 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

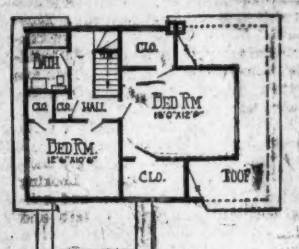
The story-and-a-half type of home is always attractive in appearance, because it is rather low and has a graceful, attractive sweep to the roof. In order to give the extra rooms in the second floor there usually are gabled dormers which add to the exterior appearance.



First Floor Plan.

In the accompanying illustration is shown a good type, stucco, story-and-a-half house which somewhat resembles a bungalow.

This home is practically square, being 28 feet long, exclusive of the sun porch, and 24 feet deep. It contains five rooms and bath. The living room extends the width of the house and is 12 feet wide and 28 feet long. At one end is an open fireplace. The dining room is back of the living room at the left and is connected with it by a curved opening which gives spaciousness to both rooms. Coupled with this attractive feature is the sun room which is connected with the dining room through double french doors.



Second Floor Plan.

The kitchen adjoins the dining room at the back corner. A glance at the floor plans will show how attractive and comfortable this room layout is. The second floor plan shows the arrangement of the two bedrooms, one

Many Types of Roofing to Choose From

Wood shingles, asphalt shingles, asbestos shingles, slate and tile are all widely used as present roofing materials. A man is governed in his choice of these materials by his individual preference, by the type of his house, by the locality in which he lives, and by the state of his pocketbook.

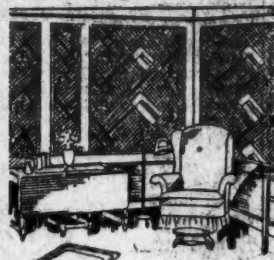
He is not bound, however, to "this type" or "that type" to any great extent, no matter whether he has an English, a colonial, a French or a Georgian home, for we are not very restricted in the use of our materials and considerable latitude is allowed in the choice of roofing.

Choose as good a roofing as you can afford and as appropriate to one, and as for its color, avoid the too vivid, too spectacular roof. If

Attic Floor Should Be Covered for Comfort

In cheaply built houses the attic floor is frequently omitted. It is a proven fact that warm air will pass through a plastered ceiling almost as readily as through a register, and many cold houses have been made warm with the same or even a less amount of fuel by laying a floor or matched boards in the attic. Cases have been reported where the cost of doing this has been met in a single season by the saving in coal. Roof insulation is the answer to the problem.

A Room Is As Cheerful As Its Wall Paper



Walk into a gray drab room and you immediately try to discover the cause of its cheerless aspect. Usually you find its walls are covered with characterless, sombre wall paper. We have suitable patterns for every room in the house.

See the Many New Spring Patterns.

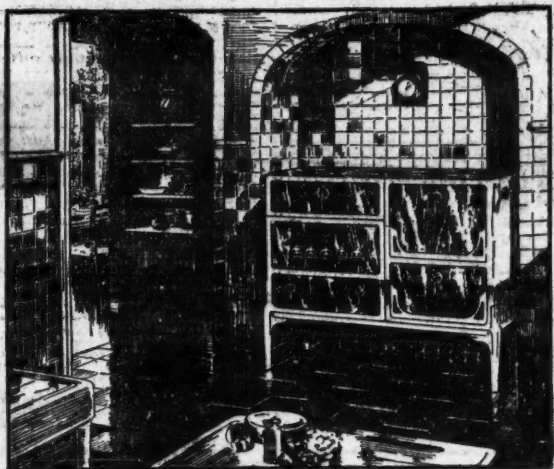
Asthalter Book Store

223 IOWA AVE.

PHONE 20

STYLED FOR THE MODERN WOMAN AND THE MODERN KITCHEN

A MODERN GAS RANGE



Let Us Show You Our Complete Line of Gas Ranges

Small Monthly Payments—No Interest or Carrying Charges Added

WE WILL GIVE A LIBERAL ALLOWANCE FOR YOUR OLD STOVE.

Iowa Electric Company

PHONE 341

224 IOWA AVE.

DECORATING SERVICE

That Combines Efficiency With Price Appeal

WALL PAPERS—painting service—artistic stippling—varnishing—our expert decorators do it skillfully and quickly at minimum rates. Place your decorating order now.

Lite Fast Wall Papers; quick drying paints for inside use—walls, woodwork or furniture. Outside paint made of pure lead, zinc, oil and dryer.



Schmidt Paint Store

313 East Second St.

Phone 1026

Simplified Refrigeration

GREATEST ADVANCE IN 17 YEARS

COME and see this newest electric refrigerator—the most highly simplified type ever produced!

Here's an operating unit that requires fewer moving parts, fewer chances for friction and wear. It's hermetically sealed under 20,000 lbs. pressure to eliminate kitchen repairs and intricate adjustments.

Stop at the Servel Hermetic display. A complete range of sizes at irresistible prices. Every one is backed by a sweeping factory guarantee protecting you from the bother and expense of old-fashioned repairs. Place your order now, for prompt installation.

\$165.00

and up F. O. B. Factory



This phantom view shows the highly simplified sealed refrigerating unit.



see the new **SERVEL** HERMETIC

READ THESE QUICK FACTS

Hermetically sealed refrigerating unit
Fewer moving parts
No moving parts exposed
Freedom from kitchen repairs
Costs less to operate
Quietest unit ever built, as shown by scientific test
Handy control for fast freezing
Beautiful, modern cabinets
More, usable shelf space
Flat, "ribbon-type" shelves
Flat, visible top
Sweeping factory guarantee

S. G. & P. STEIN
FURNITURE CO.
MUSCATINE, IOWA

THE HOUSE that JACK and JILL BUILT

With Quality LUMBER

Clean, solid timber is essential to a sound, long-lived building. When you erect that dreamed-of Home of yours, be sure that good Lumber, free from knotholes, is used for every beam and joist.



Rolling back the years from your House—

Our famous remodeling service will restore your home to its original newness and soundness. But it will do more: it will add modernity and com-mo-dious comfort to the good old home.



COLLINS-HILL LUMBER & COAL CO.

807 EAST SECOND STREET

PHONE 95

Paint Demonstration

May 4th and 5th



BRING this advertisement with only 10c and get a full-sized 30c can of

Water Spar Varnish Enamel

Or apply the 20c saving toward the purchase of a larger can. Many glorious, stunning colors that make floors, furniture and woodwork like new again!

Hahn Paint and Varnish Co.

Pittsburgh Proof Products

426 E. Second St.

Phone 404

WALLS
DEMAND
TEXTURES

INTERIORS that are DIFFERENT

IF YOU want your home to be modernly attractive, have your walls redecorated in the newest styles. There are many types of paint effects that are different from any you have ever seen... and that it takes an expert to apply. We will gladly show you samples of our work, and furnish you with an estimate of how little it will cost to add new beauty to your home.

SPECIALS

High grade barn paint, per gal. \$1.35
In 5-gal. cans, per gal. \$1.30
Cleaning Compounds, Polish and all Sundries for Clean Up and Paint Up.

Red Paint Store

214 Iowa Ave.

Phone 473

Borrowings Set 5-Year Low Mark

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... and strength is
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s Bank

CHARACTER

F. OKELL RITES CONDUCTED IN MORNING SUN

Aged Man's Funeral Held from Home Wednesday

MORNING SUN, Ia.—(Special)—Funeral services for Frank Okell, 81-year-old resident of this place, were held from his late home Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. with the Rev. J. J. Griffin of the local Union church officiating.

A quartet composed of Mrs. E. W. Browning, Mrs. C. W. Butler, W. A. Thompson and T. S. Hewitt, sang "Trust and Obey" and "Just As I Am." The following acted as pallbearers: Roy Conn, Walker Hensleigh, Fred Swan, John Owens, I. A. Burge, and J. C. Hunt.

Raymond Holch of this place, who recently completed a course in a barber school in Davenport, is now employed in new barber shop of Don Parsons of Wapello.

The Rev. W. J. Griffin, pastor of the local Union church, officiated at the short burial service for H. P. Baxter, of Creston, at Elmwood cemetery Wednesday at 3:30 p. m.

The following relatives and friends from out-of-town attended the services: Mrs. H. M. Bell, Creston; Mrs. A. L. Wiltman, and daughter Gladys, of Creston; Mr. Oscar George, and Mrs. Phil George, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall, Columbus Junction; Mrs. George Short and daughter Mildred; Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mrs. Marion Marshall, Riggle, Mrs. James Kongsable, and V. S. Swartz, Winfield; Mrs. S. N. Rice, Mediapolis.

The Ladies' Aid of Fairview, held an afternoon quilting at the home of Mrs. T. A. Baird, Wednesday. There were 15 members present.

Mrs. Opal Marshall was the assisting hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Elmer Campbell.

The annual convention of the Federated clubs of Iowa county will be held at Oakville, May 8.

Mrs. E. J. Pollock, of Morning Sun, is the county chairman. An interesting program has been prepared and a large delegation is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nichols of this place motored to Webster City Wednesday, for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Selby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leffler of Muscatine, spent a few hours Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kipatrick, enroute to Burlington to visit relatives.

A large delegation from the Sharon and the local Reformed churches, plan to attend the annual meeting of the Reformed Presbyterian Synod, to be held at Lake Winona, Ind., beginning Monday.

A local school orchestra, the girls double quartet and the boys double quartet, accompanied by Miss Constance Petros musical director, went to Columbus Junction, where the pupils will compete in the annual Iowa county music contest, held here today.

Nelson Cowles will go to Burlington, Thursday, and bring Mrs. Cowles home from the Mercy hospital, where she has been a patient for the past two weeks.

Mrs. A. L. Wiltman, and daughter Gladys, of Creston, returned to their homes, Thursday, being called here by the death of H. P. Baxter, of Creston.

Mrs. Matilda Wickhart, of Wapello, and Mrs. Lee Harris, of Hilton Harris, went to Burlington, Wednesday, to see Hilton, who is in the hospital, and is recovering from his recent operation.

Mrs. Reese Gregory, of Sperry, spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gena Fair.

The cream route of the Morning Sun Co-operative Creamery Co., which runs north of town has been extended as far as Cairo, which is about nine miles. Sam Deibel, who collects cream on this route, brought in 882 pounds of cream Tuesday.

Moscow

MOSCOW, Iowa, (Special)—Robert H. Winder of Pleasant Prairie, visited Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zeisler were business visitors in Wilton Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Arts of Wilton is assisting in the care of her niece, Mrs. Elsie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Birkhofer, Mrs. Arthur Birkhofer and Mrs. Edward Birkhofer and Mrs. Millard Johnson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Smith living near Wilton, Wednesday.

George Hell of Durant, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shafrit and son Frank, visited Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Birkhofer and daughter Marjorie. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Birkhofer.

Mrs. Belle Crist, Mrs. Mary Wilhelm and Charles Walling were business visitors in Wilton Thursday.

John Herwig of Muscatine called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. House, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Veri Barkalow and children, Bevelyn and Billy Burn living west of Moscow, were entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Marolt.

DISTRICT COURT

The final report of the administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William R. Jayne, was filed Saturday and the hearing set by Judge D. V. Jackson for May 6, at 10 a. m. The report of the estate, in which a large amount of litigation was involved, shows a balance of \$8,611 on hand.

The application of Fred Garrison, administrator of the estate of Sarah Ida Chambers, deceased, for permission to sell real estate, was filed Saturday and the hearing set by the court for June 6, at 10 a. m. The property to be sold is lot 1, block 8, North Muscatine.

A landlord's attachment suit for \$250 was filed Saturday by Anna Zoller against Joseph Siegel.

F. L. Buhlmeier, guardian in the estate of Fred Marzolph, of unsound mind, was authorized in a court order to increase the allowance of Mrs. Marzolph for the support of herself and education of their four children to \$125 a month.

The will of O. T. Rainbow was admitted to probate Saturday after being on file for nearly a year. Under the terms of the will, all of the property of the deceased, is bequeathed to a son, Harry J. Rainbow during his lifetime. Orville Hubbard was named as executor of the trust fund, but declined to serve and P. M. Ziegler was named as administrator with the will annexed, and his bond fixed at \$100.

F. L. Buhlmeier is the attorney.

An order directing that all records of the receivership of the Conesville Savings bank for five years previous to the receivership be turned over to the clerk of the court for keeping, was signed Saturday by Judge Jackson. All previous records will be destroyed.

F. A. Clifford filed information Saturday on the estate of Sarah A. Clifford with the clerk of the court for inheritance tax purposes.

Attorney N. Rosenberger, guardian of the property of William Conley, 19, was appointed guardian on his application to give consent to the marriage of his ward to Leona Walmsley. The marriage license was issued by E. C. Erwin, clerk of the court Saturday.

Judge Jackson approved the report of May Hart as guardian of the estate of Josephine Halliday, a minor. Attorneys Hanley & Hanley represent the guardianship.

The Farmers and Merchants Savings bank of Durant was appointed Saturday as trustee of the estate of Ben Kook in accordance with the provisions of his will. The order was signed by Judge Jackson.

An order substituting E. R. Tipton as plaintiff in place of the First National bank in a foreclosure suit filed recently against William A. Silverthorn and others, was signed by the court Saturday on the application of Attorney R. S. Jackson. The note which is the basis of the action was recently acquired by Tipton.

BOARD AWARDS ROAD CONTRACT

Grading on Wapello-Winfield Route to Begin Soon

WAPELLO, Ia.—(Special)—Various contracts were let by the Iowa county supervisors Friday. The contract for grading and incidental work of the County trunk road known as the Wapello-Winfield road which included highway No. 77, 226 cubic yards of template excavation was awarded to R. J. Ryan of Missouri Valley, the amount being \$12,458.70.

The contract for furnishing 60-433 feet of bridge, lumber went to Denniston and Pluridge of Wapello, the amount being \$1,754.57.

A contract for corrugated pipe in various sizes to the amount of \$1,032.00 went to Klauer Manufacturing company, Dubuque.

The contract for furnishing 37,000 gallons of gasoline and 2,600 gallons of kerosene went to the Primary Oil company of Wapello on the basis of the standard quantity allowance.

The contract for furnishing 1,800 gallons of lubricating oil went to the Zimmer Oil company of Ottumwa at 22 1/2 and 25 cents per gallon, the amount of the contract being \$423.75.

A new park at Cleveland and additions to the Polo Grounds and Ebbetts Field have added 68,000 seats to the big league capacity.

John Tuel and Miss Margaret Connell.

Charles Lincoln transacted business in West Liberty, Thursday.

Miss Crayce Stevens, home demonstration agent, conducted a nutrition training school on "Meals for Special Occasions" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koepfen, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wildasin were business visitors in Muscatine Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Proctor and daughter Frances Iolene of Wilton, visited Thursday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. William Slack and Frank Leimkuhler of Muscatine, were visiting friends here Thursday.

CLASSIFIED RATES

Time Order.....12c Per Line
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DARFMAN NEAR MUSCATINE ARE TESTING COWS

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PLEASANT PRAIRIE, Ia. (Special)—Members of the Muscatine Cow Testing association of this vicinity have been having their herds tested this week by Lester Olson, Muscatine county tester.

The association is a cooperative and educational organization operated and financed by and for 24 to 26 dairymen and has been organized since February of this year.

The organization is in no way connected with T. B. testing but is designed to serve as a guide in building up and maintaining herds of dairy cows through the adoption of improved practices in feeding, management, and selection of breeding stock.

A trained man is employed by the organization to serve as tester. He visits the farm of each member once each month and weighs and samples milk produced by each cow at the morning and evening milking. The Babcock test is used to determine the amount of butterfat produced for the 24 hour period. This production is multiplied by the number of days in the calendar month to determine the production for the month.

The tester weighs and computes the cost of feed consumed by the cows. He also tests the milk to determine if any butterfat is contained in it. This determines the efficiency of the cream separator. All of this work is done through the cooperation of the Dairy Husbandry Extension service.

Mr. Olson, who had just completed a Herdman's course at the Iowa State college, came to the local association highly recommended by Floyd Arnold, extension dairyman, of Ames. He was a member of the Franklin county 4-H club judging team several years ago. This was the judging contest in America and was sent to England where they won the contest making the team the champion judging team of the world. He has done a great deal of work with dairy herds.

The officers of the organization are, president, Earl Van Camp; vice-president, Hermal Schmidt; secretary-treasurer, Clarence Hager; directors, P. H. Naber, Roy Tooman, Carl Lefever, Dale Hazelton, and Ray Lavett.

Members include, Harry Reed, Muscatine; G. M. Welch Farm, Los Angeles with Joe Panther as herdsman; Carl Lefever, Muscatine; Earl Van Camp, Muscatine; Herbert P. Fagel, Muscatine; Clarence Hager, Muscatine; S. P. Richardson Dairy Farm, Montpelier, with William Bohnsack as herdsman; Ellery Platt, Blue Grass; C. W. Platt, Blue Grass; Hamman, Davenport; Edgar Fick, Davenport; Model Dairy Farm, Davenport; August Belter, Walcott; Fritz Belter, Stockton; Wilbur Hendricks, Wilton; Harsch, Schell, Wilton; John Umstadt, Moscow; Dale Hazelton, West Liberty; Dene Springs Farm, Muscatine with P. H. Naber as herdsman; Roy Tooman, Muscatine; Schaffer Bros., Muscatine; Hagerman & Vetter, Muscatine; and W. R. Gerden, Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sisel entertained a company of friends and relatives Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Sisel's birthday anniversary. Five hundred was the main diversion of the evening. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Emma Sisel, Mrs. William Hermann, William Hermann, and Gus Broders.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eiss, Lester Eiss, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eiss and daughter, Mrs. E. E. and Corrine; Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sisel, of Muscatine; Earl Sisel, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and daughters, Doris and Darline; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Malcher and daughter, Barbara Leah and son, Jimmy; Mr. and Mrs. William Hermann and daughter, Ruth and son, Lauren; Gus Broders, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sisel and sons Gilbert, Vernon, and Raymond.

The Pleasant Prairie Presbyterian ladies aid met at the church parlors, Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in quilting. On Thursday May 7 there will be an all day meeting at the church parlors with a potluck dinner at noon. The day will be spent in cleaning the church and all ladies are requested to bring a bucket and a mop. The regular meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon May 14, with Mrs. Hilda Bernick and Mrs. Eunice Broders as hostesses.

Rev. and Mrs. Lyle H. Gillham and children, Ruth Jeanne and Billy, left for Chicago, Thursday morning where they will visit relatives. Mrs. Rose Wolf of Davenport, transacted business here, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roehl of Muscatine, spent Friday at the George Henke home.

Claus Thomsen, Miss Maude Thomsen, Mrs. William Hermann and daughter Ruth were business callers in Muscatine, Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Otto went to Lowden Saturday afternoon where they attended the funeral of Mr. Otto's stepfather, Joe Lutz-Johnson, who was accidentally killed by a train, Tuesday.

Mrs. Adam Paul, Mrs. Charles Fletcher and daughter Elizabeth, spent Saturday afternoon in Davenport.

Glen McElroy is ill at his home. Walter Benhook, Jr., of Blue Grass visited at the Merrill Paul home, Friday afternoon.

Pupils of the Maple Grove and Nolo schools enjoyed a picnic and flower picking at Paul's Grove, Friday afternoon. Among those who attended were Nadine Beck, Lois Lenker, Lester Borchers, Duane Egel, Alta Hilbert, Aaron Borchers, Norma Egel, Irvin Brus, Farena Egel, Reid Borchers, Arno Egel, Elaine Irvin, Nedie Egel, Waver Borchers, and the teachers, Miss Alma Kretschmar and Miss Ina Fae Paul.

Merrill Paul was admitted to Mercy hospital, Saturday morning where he will receive treatments. He was accompanied there by Mrs. Merrill Paul, Mrs. Ada Riemcke, and Mrs. Benhook.

Miss Mary Raub and Miss Harriet Baker are members of the program committee for the Children's

Learn Quickly

WILTON CLASS BANQUET HELD

High School Juniors And Seniors Hold Annual Event

WILTON JUNCTION, Ia. (Special)—The junior-senior high school banquet held at Presbyterian church Wednesday evening was successful.

A "Deep Sea" program was presented. The toasts, decorations and menu, emphasizing the senior's class colors, green and white. Covers were laid for 80 which included the seniors, juniors and the high school faculty.

The program of toast and music follows:

Toast, "Along the Beach" Lee Harper; piano solo, "Waters of Minnesota," Marjorie Latchaw; toast, "The Voyagers," Lewis Marolf; toast, "The Breakers Ahead," Frank Bacon; violin solo, "Sea Garden," Vera Newgard; toast, "The Marine's Compass," Charlotte Smith; musical reading, "The Light House," Violet Sibeline; toast, "Fishy Tales," Frances Friedl; vocal duet, "Santa Lucia," Dorothy Richards, Mary Marolf; toast, "Pearls," Catherine Fowler; saxophone solo, "Waltz Llewellyn," Clifton Cockshott; toast, "Queer Fish and Fish Food," Mildred Johnson; song, "Ching a Ling Ling," Lewis Gill; Kenneth Friedl; toast, "Distant Shores," Harold Ocheltree; toast, "Distant Shores," Charles Lauser, Harold Ocheltree; toast, "Distant Shores," Charles Lauser, Harold Ocheltree; toast, "Distant Shores," Charles Lauser, Harold Ocheltree.

The junior class includes Louise Stangor, Arlo Schroeder, Frances Friedl, Helen Wagner, Mildred Johnson, Mildred Nelson, John Dwyer, Henry Angerer, Frederick Latchaw, Clifton Cockshott, Harold Leach, Mary Crook, Marguerite Whitmer, Viola Campbell, Dorothy Richards, Violet Rexroth, Florence Moeller, Lucille Garvin, Charles Lauser, William Nelson, Mort Cockshott, Gerald Ocheltree, Harold Leach, Grace Darling, Florence Haskins, Violet Sebelien.

Members of the senior class are Frank Bacon, Kenneth Baker, Virgil Barnhart, Stella Brenner, Leonard Decker, Felix Dwyer, Catherine Fowler, Kenneth Friedl, Charles Lauser, Lee Harper, Richard Harris, Kenneth Hetzler, Lois Lang, Marjorie Latchaw, George Leuthy, Clifton Marolf, Mary B. Martin, Elizabeth McCoy, Velma Nauman, Vera Newgard, Harold Nicolaus, Dorothy T. Oostendorp, Gretchen Schroeder, Charlotte Smith.

High school faculty in attendance are, Superintendent and Mrs. A. C. Baumgartner, James Buser, athletic coach; Miss Jennie Martin, music director; Miss Margaret Dwyer, high school principal; Lewis Marolf, English teacher; Miss Clelie Coleman, domestic science teacher; Miss Florence Arnold, history teacher.

Grandview

GRANDVIEW, Ia. (Special)—Mrs. Bert Cresswell and daughter, Marie Faye Wilson and Roenna Graham, were business visitors in Muscatine Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Rowe and son, Harley, were business visitors in Muscatine Thursday.

Mrs. S. Graham was called to the bedside of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, of Muscatine Thursday. Mrs. Elizabeth Graham is 88 years old, and her condition is considered serious.

Graduate pupils of the consolidated school held an exhibit of their work at the school building Friday.

Mrs. Dave Woodruff and Mrs. Mollie Hardman, were Muscatine business visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Ina Beck, and daughter, Pauline, of Wapello, were visitors here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tharp visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Russell Lee, in Muscatine Thursday.

George Pitchforth, of Muscatine, visited at the T. T. Tharp home Friday.

Mrs. J. N. Tharp and children, visited at the home of Mrs. Tharp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knight, of Wapello.

Ed Dean and friends, of Iowa City, visited Wednesday at the home of Mr. Dean's sister, Mrs. William Chalmers.

Walter Hutchinson, of Northern Iowa, is visiting at his home, and other relatives and friends here.

Jacob Lewis returned to Ainsworth after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans, one mile north of Grandview. Mrs. Lewis is Mrs. Evans' granddaughter.

CENTER SCHOOL CLASSES HOLD ANNUAL EVENT

Commencement Plans Made for School Near Kalona

KALONA, Ia. (Special)—Members of the junior and senior classes of the Center high school held a banquet Friday night. Lois McCray acted as toastmaster and the following program was given: "The May Pole," Mr. Shalla; "Gold and Orchid," Leon Liebe; "Green," Paul Beard; "Blue and White," Lloyd Fry; "Rose," Victor Hess; "Purple and Gold," Laveria Robertson.

At the graduation exercises on May 13, Center high school will award diplomas to ten students. They are Charles Semler, Lloyd Fry, Frederick Beard, Lloyd Bender, Paul Beard, Clifton Ginterich, Martha Swartzendruber, Leona Swartzendruber, Leona Liebe and Emily Smith.

George McCarthy, who attends the State University of Iowa, has been chosen as the main speaker for the event. Baccalaureate services will be held at Lower Creek church, the sermon being delivered by Simon Ginterich, of Wayland.

Mrs. J. B. Elmen has been suffering from a sore thumb. The bone is diseased and it was found necessary to remove a part of the bone. The operation was performed at the Mercy hospital at Iowa City.

Mrs. Rosella Pepper, who has been spending the winter months in Texas has returned and will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Feldman.

F. E. Skola is spending the week at Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allen and Mrs. U. G. Snider have returned from their trip to Birmingham, Mich. and Lelapic, Ohio.

George Maxwell and Levi Hochstetler are erecting a new building for a part of the program.

The annual business meeting of the Kalona Baptist church was held Thursday evening.

Orla Boone is taking a two weeks vacation from his work at Nichols and is spending it at his home here. Alva Miller and his son, Glenn, are spending the week in Chicago.

Paul Ginterich is unable to be in school because of influenza.

A. R. Stutsman and Gordon Engstrom were business visitors in Muscatine Friday morning.

Jonas M. Ginterich are the parents of girl born recently.

Mildred Johnson of West Chester was a Thursday caller in Kalona.

Mrs. Jacob Brennenman and Mrs. Edna Shick, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman.

Harper, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman have been traveling for several months and are visiting Iowa relatives and friends before returning to their home.

Paul Hershberger, who, a few days ago was injured in a runaway is improving.

Mrs. and Mrs. Samuel Manatt and son, Samuel, Jr., have returned to their home at Blythville, Ark., after spending a few days with Mr. Manatt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bauman, of Iowa City.

Grandmother, Mrs. L. E. Edmondson of Kalona.

Miss Alice Kemp is caring for Dwight Feldman, who is confined to a hospital at Iowa City following an operation. Dwight is improving rapidly and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

The Men's Chorus of Goshen College will present a concert at the Union church May 12. Everyone is cordially invited to hear them.

Edith Ginterich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ginterich, has been quoted at the home of Dr. Clarence Baldrige of Iowa City.

The local firemen have organized a baseball team and hope to schedule some games with the neighboring towns.

Longan Rief, of Iowa City, spent Thursday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rief.

An Hour in Church Hurts No One

Judge J. F. Rutherford of New York City will broadcast a Bible lecture from radio station KNTN, Muscatine, every Sunday noon from 12 to 12:30.

An International Bible students' program Food for Thought, will be broadcast from station KNTN every Sunday afternoon from 1 to 1:30.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC 419 Green street. Father N. J. Peiffer, pastor. Rev. P. C. Wetzelstein, assistant. Schedule of masses: 6:00, 8:00 and 10 o'clock. Masses 6, 8 and 10 o'clock.

BETHEL A. M. E. East Seventh street. Rev. L. E. Bean, pastor. Schedule of services: 10:00 Sunday school. 11:00 Praise service. Class meeting 12 o'clock. 7:00 A. C. League, Mrs. Laura Harris president. 8:00, Evening service.

ST. MATTHIAS CATHOLIC 211 West Eighth street. Father W. L. Hannan, pastor. Schedule of masses: Services at 6:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT Synamore street. Karl M. Jeschke, pastor. Schedule of services: 10:30 Sunday school. 10:30 Morning worship. English services.

WALNUT STREET BAPTIST Corner Walnut at Sixth streets. Peter Smik, minister. Sunday school 9:30. Victor Miller, Supt. Classes in both German and English. Morning worship 10:30. Communion. Topic, "Steps to Christ." B. Y. P. U. 7:00. Miss Violet Tidemann, president. Special Song and Evangelistic service 7:45. Topic, "Making Excuses." Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon.

FIRST METHODIST Corner Fourth and Iowa Ave. Benjamin F. Schwartz, pastor. E. D. Bradley, church school, Supt. Church school meets promptly at 9:30 a. m. Classes for all. Morning worship at 10:45. Annual Thank-Offering Service of the W. F. M. S. Sermon by the pastor, "Oak-tree Christians." Special music. Anthem, "There were Ninety and Nine—Schnecker. Solos, Mrs. E. L. McCollm and Leslie Titus. Offertory, "Grand Aria"—Demarest.

Sigmo, Mrs. Wanda Schwartz. Organ, Miss Emma Parkin. Song, "Trees"—Words by Joyce Kilmer, music by Rasbach. Solo, Mrs. E. L. McCollm. The Home Guards will meet in the Martha room at 10:45 a. m. Epworth League will meet at 6:30 p. m. This is institute night and the Institute committee is in charge. The Young Peoples class will meet Wednesday evening in the Philaetha room at 8:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Anthem, "Speed Away," sung by the men's chorus. Offertory, "Where will you spend eternity?" Tenney. Men's chorus. One-act film, "The Land of Evangeline." Sermon by pastor, "Building Temples for the Prophets."

Announcements for the Week Monday, 4:15, preparatory class in Philaetha room. 7:30 p. m. Official Board will meet in Philaetha room. Tuesday, 7:45 p. m. The Philaetha class will hold a Polyanthus May Party in the banquet room of the church. The social is in charge of Mrs. J. H. Froehner, assisted by Miss Myrtle Baker and Mesdames H. D. Webster, Alta De Vore, H. A. Whittemore, R. G. Tip-ton, George Miller and Raymond Zoller.

Wednesday 6:30 p. m. The Sigma Alpha class will hold a May Party and pot-luck supper at the home of Mr. C. A. Richard, 218 West Third street.

Kindly bring sandwiches and one covered dish. A cordial invitation is extended to all members to attend.

Group 7 of the W. H. M. S. will meet at 1:00 with Mrs. D. B. Addelman to quilt.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting. 8:30 choir practice.

McKnight, of the Oak Hill school were present.

Two large dutch ovens were constructed to roast winners and toast marshmallows. Baseball games were participated in by all.

The Clarence high school baseball team defeated the Durant nine Thursday evening 8 to 1. Meyer, pitching for Clarence, hurled a no hit game, but Durant scored on an error.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN J. B. Rendall, minister. W. G. Geller, Supt. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Divine worship at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Waste of Wealth." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Divine worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "God and You."

For the Week The Ladies' Aid society meets on Thursday afternoon. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening.

UNITED BRETHREN Sixth and Mulberry Ave. Ira Hawley, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Lloyd Duto, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The God of Heaven Will Prosper Us." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 a. m. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "And the Canaanite Was in the Land." The Rev. Harry Herlein, member of this congregation will graduate from Bonerake Seminary at Dayton, Ohio next week. On May 10 the Mother's Day service will be in charge of Rev. Herlein. He will preach at both services. Lloyd Duto will preside.

First Baptist Vernon L. Shonts, minister. August Altenber, Supt. of School. 9:30 Morning prayer service. 9:30 Bible School with classes for all ages. 10:30 Morning worship. Sermon by pastor, Subject, "The Lure of the Mountain." The members of the De la Molay organization will attend in charge of Rev. Herlein. He will preach at both services. Lloyd Duto will preside.

Announcement for Week Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. regular monthly meeting of the Delta Alpha class. A Mother's Day program, in charge of Mrs. A. L. Lindes and daughter, Juanita will be given. There will be special music by a ladies' quartet.

Thursday, May 7, Rummage sale and dinner at 11:30 in the basement of the church.

Thursday, May 7, 7:30 p. m. regular mid-week services in chapel of the church. A service of worship and inspiration. Nearly a hundred present last week.

Friday, May 8, 6:30 p. m. Annual Mother and Daughters Banquet in basement of church. All ladies and girls invited. For plate, 30c. An unusual program is being prepared.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL R. W. Merrifield, minister. Church School, 9:30 a. m. The pupils will have the opportunity to see the second year's work "Home Furnishings" was given Thursday afternoon in the River Junction Memorial building, when Mrs. Earl Hinkley and Mrs. Jack Sherburne gave instructions on making chair covers and covering furniture.

Twelve ladies were in attendance. They are Mrs. C. W. Broadway, Mrs. J. R. Musser, Mrs. E. D. Porter, Mrs. James Magruder, Mrs. M. W. Hilton, Mrs. Harry Fountain, Mrs. Charles Hawthorn, Mrs. J. M. Sims, Mrs. C. C. Davidson, Mrs. Rosa Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sanders visited Tuesday afternoon at the C. C. Raymond home.

Mrs. Frank Rayner visited last week with her son, George, north of Gladwin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Porter, Mrs.

New Era Church to Observe Guest Day

NEW ERA—(Special)—Guest day will be observed at the Ziegler Memorial Lutheran church here today. Each person is requested to bring a guest. Preaching service will be held at 11 a. m. with the Rev. E. A. Lack in charge. His sermon subject will be "Fasting to Meet Again." At noon a basket dinner will be served in the Community Building and at 4:30 p. m. vesper service will be held. There will be no evening service.

The board of trustees and the deacons will meet Monday evening in the church.

Members of the Philindosa society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Kelley in Melrose. Roll call will be answered by "My Favorite Flower." A flower exchange will be held.

Teachers and officers of the Ziegler Memorial Lutheran church met Friday evening. Business matters were discussed.

A large crowd of young people attended the young people's convention at the Community House Wednesday.

The average farmer lives to be 58 years old, the average meat worker at 47 years old, and the average bookkeeper lives only 38 years, according to the report of an eastern insurance concern. There are a variety of reasons for this. The miserable content of the air in the city is markedly different from country air. One investigation showed 12 harmful microbes per hundred cubic feet in the country, 22 in city offices and 43 in factories.

NOTICE TO PASTORS This department of the Midwest Free Press is available to the churches at no cost. We only request that you get your church's notice into our editorial office by Friday evening.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST Scientist Walnut and Sixth streets. Sunday services at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Eternalizing Pishment." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday services at 7:30 p. m. The reading room of the church is located in the church building and is open Wednesday from 2 to 4 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all church services.

GRACE LUTHERAN LUTHERAN Iowa Ave. and Sixth Street. Leland H. Leisher, pastor. Tel. 1203, Res. 510 Iowa Ave. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Walter Pahn, Supt. Morning Worship 10:45. Sermon theme, "The Philadelphia Letter." Luther League devotionals for seniors and intermediates 6:30 p. m. Evening service of worship 7:30. Sermon theme, "St. James, the Lord's Brother."

The senior Luther League will meet Tuesday evening at 8 in the church parlors. This will be a special social meeting with the boys and refreshments, and the girls as special guests.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors for sewing. Mesdames Walter Smalley and Kate Bohn will serve as hostesses. The Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. Phillip Batchelor, 113 Union street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Lloyd Grimm as assisting hostess. The study hour will be led by Mrs. Helen Lang.

The annual meeting of the United Lutheran Synod in Iowa of the United Lutheran church in America will be held in the Memorial Lutheran church Nevada, Iowa, May 4-7. J. C. Simon, pastor.

The Women's Missionary society of the same group will be held simultaneously also at Nevada.

The pastor of Grace Lutheran church, the Rev. Leland H. Leisher, and a lay delegate will attend the Synodical meeting. Women from Grace church will attend the session of the Missionary society.

MULFORD CONGREGATIONAL C. W. Hempstead, pastor. Morning Subject, "Excuses and Why We Make them." Evening Subject, "Men Who Had Better Not Been Born."

River Junction Farm Bureau Women Meet

RIVER JUNCTION, Ia. (Special)—The second lesson on the second year's work "Home Furnishings" was given Thursday afternoon in the River Junction Memorial building, when Mrs. Earl Hinkley and Mrs. Jack Sherburne gave instructions on making chair covers and covering furniture.

Twelve ladies were in attendance. They are Mrs. C. W. Broadway, Mrs. J. R. Musser, Mrs. E. D. Porter, Mrs. James Magruder, Mrs. M. W. Hilton, Mrs. Harry Fountain, Mrs. Charles Hawthorn, Mrs. J. M. Sims, Mrs. C. C. Davidson, Mrs. Rosa Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sanders visited Tuesday afternoon at the C. C. Raymond home.

Mrs. Frank Rayner visited last week with her son, George, north of Gladwin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Porter, Mrs.

New Era Church to Observe Guest Day

NEW ERA—(Special)—Guest day will be observed at the Ziegler Memorial Lutheran church here today. Each person is requested to bring a guest. Preaching service will be held at 11 a. m. with the Rev. E. A. Lack in charge. His sermon subject will be "Fasting to Meet Again." At noon a basket dinner will be served in the Community Building and at 4:30 p. m. vesper service will be held. There will be no evening service.

The board of trustees and the deacons will meet Monday evening in the church.

Members of the Philindosa society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Kelley in Melrose. Roll call will be answered by "My Favorite Flower." A flower exchange will be held.

Teachers and officers of the Ziegler Memorial Lutheran church met Friday evening. Business matters were discussed.

A large crowd of young people attended the young people's convention at the Community House Wednesday.

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CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN D. F. Landis, pastor. Church School at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Theme, "I Go Unto My Father." C. W. Mead at 7 p. m. Topic for discussion, "The Child Centered Parent and Teacher." Evening worship at 7:45. Title, "Pride."

MUSKIEVILLE METHODIST W. H. Slack, minister. A change in morning worship will be made Sunday, May 10. Island Church Gospel message and special music at 9:30 a. m. Bible school at 10:30 a. m. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. with Perry Wall of the U. B. church as principal speaker.

High Prairie Bible school at 10 a. m. Gospel message and special music at 11 a. m.

Muscatine Bible school at 10 a. m. Junior league at 11 a. m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Special gospel message by the Rev. C. E. Ward, pastor of the Park Avenue Methodist church and special music at 7:30 p. m. Thursday evening—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

FOURTH AVENUE GOSPEL R. B. Mitchell, pastor. Sunday—8:45 a. m. Sunday school with classes for all. 11 a. m.—Holy Communion. The new series of Bible study, Subject, "Gems of Prophecy." Wednesday at 7:45 to begin new series of sermons of prayer, "Steps to the Throne of God." Subject for the week, "The First Essential for Answered Prayer." Friday at 7:45 p. m. Dispensation. Saturday at 2:30. Childrens church.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH Corner Sycamore and Sixth Sts. Pastors 513 Sycamore St. Rev. J. C. Simon, pastor. Telephone 2533. Lutheran school and parish house 212 East Sixth street. The Fourth Sunday after Easter. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. A mission program at 9:40. English service at 10, German service at 11 o'clock. Text for the sermons: Psalm 92. No evening service this Sunday. The Men's club meets Tuesday night at the parish hall. The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon at the hall. Daily parochial school from 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

C. W. Broadway, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Musser, were Iowa City business callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sheppard of Oakdale is visiting his mother, Mrs. Addie Sheppard and other relatives.

New Boston

NEW BOSTON, Ill.—(Special)—A five hundred card party was held Thursday evening in the Masonic hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hensslof, of Nebraska, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark.

Ben Shields of Chicago, is visiting at the Ed Meyers home.

Mrs. Courtney Willis is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Eyle Swan, in Galesburg, Ill. She expects to go to Kirksville, Mo., where she will visit Mrs. Edwin Meyers, before returning home.

Mrs. Fred Clark has returned to her home after spending the winter in Los Angeles, Calif.

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CORN PLANTING BEGIN IN HIGH PRAIRIE REGION

R. R. Baker Begins to Plant This Year's Corn Crop

HIGH PRAIRIE—(Special)—The first corn planting done here so far was that of R. R. Baker who began Tuesday to plant a three acre crop, a few days earlier than usual begins. For several years Mr. Baker has planned to begin corn planting as near May 1 as possible.

Mrs. Edith Tomfeld Newton, teacher of Hope school, will change one her pupils on a nature study expedition Friday. A winter toast will be a noontime feature of the trip. The Misses Alice Harbaugh and Lucile Boller took the pupils of their schools, Star and Union, for a joint outing Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Altkrue and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis appeared on the old fashioned school program staged as an entertaining feature of the meeting of the Seventy-Six Farm Bureau Tuesday night at the home of E. J. Coady. Others from High Prairie who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Timberlake, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Panner, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Byrne, Mr. Mattie McCleary, the Misses Heley, Rose and Anita Byrne and Edna Altkrue.

Twelve members of the High Prairie orchestra met for practice at the home of their director, Mrs. C. W. Harbaugh, Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Minder acted as hosts at the social hour at the close of the evening.

M. L. Mosher, formerly of Iowa, but who is now living in Illinois, declares that increased profits on farm products is possible by rotation and fertilizing and using improved varieties, or both, and having livestock which uses its feed efficiently. Efficiency in the use of man labor and machinery, while it also tends to increase profits, does not amount to as much as the proper care of soil and livestock, Mr. Mosher believes.

Netherland exporters are using carbon dioxide ice to keep flowers fresh when they are shipped long distances.

DIRECTOR SAYS A CHILD COULD PLAN FUNERAL

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